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"I'M A BLOATED OPTIMIST ABOUT CANADA," SAYS BYNG IN FAREWELL TO VICTORIANS

No Room for Pessimism as to the Country's Future, Governor-General Declares as He Says Good-bye to People of West; "I Am Not a Canadian by Birth or Heritage, But an Eighteen-carat Canadian by Affection," He Says, Thanking Dominion for Reception Here.

Baron Byng of Vimy said his last farewell to the people of Victoria and Western Canada generally at noon to-day when he spoke with evident deep feeling before an audience of 250 men and women in the Empress Hotel under the auspices of the Canadian Club.

"I leave Canada a bloated optimist about your country!" This was the Governor-General's parting message of confidence in the future of Canada. "Although I am not a Canadian by birth or heritage," he added, "I am an eighteen-carat Canadian by affection. I don't believe there is a Canadian who loves Canada more than I do."

"GROUP UNITY" PLAN OF EMPIRE DEBATED

Premier Hertzog of South Africa Says it Was Recently Proved Failure

Declares International Independence of Dominions Recognized

Capetown, May 17 (Canadian Press Cable via Reuter's).—General J. B. Hertzog, Premier of South Africa, in the course of an important pronouncement regarding the status of the Dominions of the British Empire at Stellenbosch University yesterday, maintained the Dominions had never yet received the full international independence which they were entitled to. They had always been subordinated to the British Government until the signing of the Versailles Treaty, when their international independence had been recognized, but even after that the Dominions had hesitated to put their new status to a practical test owing to their fear of disruption would follow.

GROUP UNITY
The Dominions, Premier Hertzog continued, had accordingly compromised by creating a doctrine of "group unity" under which the British Empire was to make decisions on matters of foreign policy as a unanimous group, and not as a number of separate entities.

Premier Hertzog declared this doctrine had utterly failed in practice and pointed to Locarno, where, he said, the Dominions had not properly represented and the British (Continued on page 3)

INTERNATIONAL CO-OPERATION FEATURES WORK

Y.M.C.A. Has Backing of Nations Throughout World, Col. G. W. Birks Says

Col. Gerald W. Birks, wealthy Canadian business man, connected with the firm of Birks & Company, of Montreal, foremost jeweler of the Dominion, was aboard the Empress of Asia when that ship docked here this morning from the Far East. With his three nephews, Bobbie Birks, Victor Birks and Howard Ross, Col. Birks has been on a world tour and is now completing the last leg of a journey which has taken him and his three companions through many thousands of miles of foreign and strange lands.

Col. Birks was head of all Y.M.C.A. work in France with the Canadian forces during the war, and as such rendered invaluable service to the men of the Canadian Army. Since the war he has been active in Y.M.C.A. work in Canada, and was particularly interested in seeing the wide-spread influence of the association in many parts of the world through which he traveled (Continued on page 2)

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WOMAN KILLED IN AUTO CRASH

Calgary, May 17.—One killed and four injured made up the toll of a motor car accident yesterday, when a car driven by John Struthers of this city crashed through the side of a bridge about fifty miles west of Calgary on the road to Banff. Miss Elizabeth Robertson was killed. Mrs. Struthers and her son Jack are in a hospital with numerous cuts and broken bones. Minor injuries were suffered by Mrs. Struthers and Miss Agnes Fairburn.

HAMILTON HAS TIME MUDDLE

Hamilton, Ont., May 17.—Hamilton's time muddle went into effect at 10 o'clock last night, when manufacturing plants, merchants, professional men and all the employees advanced their clocks an hour while the rest of the city remained on standard time. It is expected great confusion will result from the use of the different times.

CANADIANS SUCCESSFULLY PRESENT TRADE BETTERMENT PLEA TO TRADE CONFERENCE

C. P. W. Schwengers, President of Victoria Chamber of Commerce, Reports on "Forty Billion Dollar Convention" Held at Charleston; Chairman Farrell Stresses Canadian Tariff Reduction Plea in Message to President Coolidge.

Canadian affairs were a dominating factor at the United States Foreign Trades Council Convention at Charleston, South Carolina, C. P. W. Schwengers, president of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce, stated this morning upon his return from the East. Advancement of trade with Canada was given the honor of prior place on the agenda of the first day of the convention, which continued for three days, April 28, 29 and 30.

"It was the unanimous conviction of the Canadian delegation that the entire convention, 1,100 leaders of business of the United States, was won over to the justice of our plea for readjustment of duties imposed on our farm and forest products," said Mr. Schwengers.

His summary of the convention and events leading up to and following it, is as follows:

"Following an address which I gave in San Francisco at the Pacific Coast Foreign Trades Convention the early part of March, I received a telegraphic invitation from James A. Farrell, chairman of the U.S. National Foreign Trades Council, to address the convention at Charleston, S.C., on similar lines to my San Francisco speech. This invitation I accepted. "Being requested to organize a Canadian delegation, with prospect of an all Canadian session devoted exclusively to the discussion of Canadian trade with the United States, I felt the assumption of such a responsibility might be misunderstood by the big centres of Eastern Canada. I therefore requested that the invitation should be extended to the president of the Dominion Boards of Trade, also to the Toronto and Montreal Boards, at the same time indicating my willingness to render any assistance I could to such an extent as they might desire on the coast. When these organizations could not accept the invitation, I assumed responsibility.

"I was assured by the chairman of the convention that the proposal was extended with full recognition of Canada's protective policy and also the British preferential tariff, and (Continued on page 2)

TWO LEADERS WILL CLOSE BUDGET TALK

Premier King and Meighen to Address Commons To-morrow Before Vote

Ottawa, May 17.—The stage is all set for a vote on the budget in the House to-morrow evening. Many speakers are still on the available speaking list, but an effort will be made to clear the slate so as to leave to-morrow entirely free for the speeches of Premier King and the Right Hon. Arthur Meighen. Conservative leader. If this arrangement materializes, Mr. Meighen will speak to-morrow in the afternoon, followed by the Premier, who will close the debate.

The debate will be resumed to-day by A. E. MacLean, Liberal, Prince Edward Island.

TURKISH EX-SULTAN DIED IN SAN REMO

Mohammed Lived on Riviera For Last Four Years; Abdicated in 1922

San Remo, Italy, May 17.—Mohammed VI, former Sultan of Turkey, died here at a late hour Saturday night of cardiac paralysis. He had lived on the Riviera for the last three or four years.

NEW PRINCE RUPERT ELEVATOR IS LEASED

Alberta Co-operative Wheat Producers Ltd. To Operate it For Two Years

Ottawa, May 17 (Canadian Press).—Negotiations for the renting of the newly-built Government grain elevator at Prince Rupert to the Wheat Pool have been concluded. In the House of Commons this afternoon, Hon. Ernest Lapointe, Secretary of State, informed Hon. R. S. McLean, Conservative, that the lease of the Prince Rupert elevator to the Alberta Co-operative Wheat Producers Limited of Calgary had been approved by order-in-council.

French and British Discussing Debt

London, May 17.—M. Peret, French Finance Minister, is in London to-day. He will negotiate the funding of the French debt to Great Britain.

NEW CHANCELLOR OF GERMANY IS WILHELM MARX

Berlin, May 17.—Dr. Wilhelm Marx is the new Chancellor of Germany, having accepted the post, proffered him by President Von Hindenburg. He is retaining the Luther Cabinet and he informed the President his policy, especially in foreign affairs, would be the same as that of the Luther Government.

His aim will be to co-operate to the utmost with the Socialists. The new Cabinet has decided that a national referendum on the question of confiscation without indemnification of the property of the former German ruling house will be held on June 20.

BRITISH RAILWAY SERVICES ARE SLIM

Following General Strike Only One Company is Back at Normal Operation

Strong Hopes Coal Dispute Will be Ended Without Unnecessary Delay

London, May 17.—Although most of the industries in Great Britain are steadily recovering from the effects of the general strike, only one railway system was able to give full service to-day. Other railway companies admitted they were unable to give more than fifty per cent. of their normal service.

The post offices are congested with mail and parcel post, the latter service having been suspended entirely during the strike. It was announced parcels again would be accepted. The packages, however, came in such numbers the depots were snowed under.

COAL SETTLEMENT

Strong hope is held the coal miners' dispute will be settled, but it will be several days before the preliminary arrangements can be made. Meanwhile, the effect on the railways and industries are steadily dwindling. The plans outlined by Premier Baldwin must be explained to the miners before they can be accepted, while the mine owners are still to be heard from. Some of the operators, especially in South Wales, are said to regard the strike as a disaster.

COST OF STRIKE

Figuring the cost of the strike has become a favorite pastime. One estimate places the loss to the National Union of Railwaymen at £1,000,000. The effect on direct taxation by the companies at £2,500,000.

Government expenses in connection with the general strike were about £1,750,000. Right Hon. Winston Churchill, Chancellor of the Exchequer, to-day informed the House. He said that as yet it was not possible to estimate the expenditures accurately and he did not think additional taxation to meet them would be necessary.

TWO KILLED AND TWELVE INJURED

Toll of Accidents in and About City of Tacoma at the Week-end

Tacoma, May 17.—Two persons lost their lives and twelve were injured in a series of accidents in and near Tacoma over the week-end.

TRAIN SMASH ON MEXICAN LINE KILLS SIXTEEN

Mexico City, May 17.—Sixteen persons were killed and many injured Sunday when a passenger train jumped the track and fell into a canyon near Ixmiquilpan. Nearly every car in the train was partly demolished.

FALSE REPORT

Seattle construction man reported to have been killed in an automobile accident near Tacoma Sunday night, stated this morning he was not dead, had not been in the accident and knew nothing of three other persons reported to have been with him.

NORGE EXPLORERS STATE THEY FOUND NO LAND IN REGION OF NORTH POLE

CITY MAY TAKE UP GAUNTLET IN WATER CHALLENGE

Council to be Asked to Instruct Solicitor to Open Court Tussle

Oak Bay Declares Intention of Appealing From 1925 Act Cost Analysis

"Subject to what the council may decide to-night, I am going to suggest that any further communication we have with Oak Bay over the water rate issue will be carried on through our solicitors," stated Mayor Penndray to-day.

As the chief executive of the city said, no further proposals will be made to Oak Bay in regard to the water rate dispute, and the city will take immediate steps to join issue with Oak Bay in the courts.

Water events at the City Hall today resolve into meetings of the water committee and water advisory group this afternoon, when the report to be laid before the City Council meeting to-night will be formulated.

The report is expected to be a straight recommendation that the city enter an appearance at once with Oak Bay before the courts, and thus prepare for the arbitration to follow once the legal ground on which the dispute is to be settled has been determined.

The city contends that the Esquimalt Waterworks Winding-up Act of 1925 is the one which provides for settlement of the issue. Mayor Penndray affirms that it has a special agreement with the city by virtue of the Oak Bay Act of 1910, and as amended in 1911.

NEW MINISTRY NOW CONTROLS POLAND

M. Rataj Acting President; C. Bartel Premier; Pilsudski Minister of War

Warsaw, May 17.—M. Wojciechowski, who was president of Poland until Marshal Pilsudski carried out a coup d'etat last week and forced him and his Cabinet to resign, has been permitted to leave Warsaw for the summer presidential residence at Spazko. All the old ministers who were being held under guard in the capital have been released.

Calm prevails in Warsaw, with Marshal Pilsudski in control as Minister of War. M. Rataj is Acting President, with Charles Bartel Minister of Railways and August Zaleski Minister of Foreign Affairs.

100,000 SQUARE MILES EXPLORED

North Pole Flight of Dirigible Norgé Covered Great Area of the Earth

New York, May 17.—The flight of the dirigible Norgé over the North Pole added 100,000 square miles to the earth's explored area. Between 3,000,000 and 4,000,000 square miles yet unseen by civilized man.

The largest area is 2,000,000 square miles in the Antarctic, which explorers consider uninteresting because the Antarctic Continent is known to be covered with 7,000 to 10,000 feet thick.

BIRDS SEEN

The Amundsen-Ellsworth Expedition cut the 2,000,000-mile Arctic area in two, leaving 600,000 square miles of unexplored territory toward Siberia and 100,000 on the other side. Although no land was discovered by the Norge, explorers point out islands are found throughout the known Arctic region and birds have been seen migrating toward the section.

STRENGTH OF CURRENCY

The return of the pound to parity Saturday is displayed in all newspapers as a striking evidence of confidence in Britain's stability and as a tribute to the manner in which the country withstood the crisis.

BIG FUND FOR BRITISH POLICE

London, May 17.—In connection with the proposed national testimonial to the police for their good work during the general strike throughout Great Britain, £35,000 has been already subscribed.

GREECE HAS NEW PREMIER

Paris, May 17.—The Greek Legation in Paris announces General Panagoulas has been appointed Premier by General Pangalos.

The new Premier, who is at present in Paris, will leave in a few days for Athens.

Men Who Flew in Dirigible From Spitzbergen to Alaska Say They Saw Few Rocky Islands in Polar Area, But They Could Not Be Described as Land; Amundsen, Ellsworth and Two Others at Nome; Remainder of Crew at Teller, Preparing Deflated Airship for Shipment to Seattle.

Nome, Alaska, May 17.—Lincoln C. Ellsworth of the Amundsen-Ellsworth Transpolar Expedition, told the Associated Press here to-day he had seen much open water at the North Pole when he and his seventeen companions passed over it last Tuesday night in the dirigible Norgé.

This statement provided an answer to a question that had puzzled geographers and explorers for many years, and which had not been completely settled with the visits of Commander Peary and Lieut. Commander Byrd in their trips to the Pole, because of the limited amount of area viewed by them there.

Mr. Ellsworth said rocky islands had been seen by his party at the Pole, but these could hardly be considered land.

He said he had dropped a flag at the Pole, making the second time the colors of the United States had been placed there. Peary was the first to plant the United States colors on the top of the earth. Byrd, in his flight over the Pole, said he did not drop any flag because Peary had left the colors there.

The Norge, said Mr. Ellsworth, was being dismantled at Teller, seventy-five miles northwest of here, where it landed last Thursday night, ending its flight from Spitzbergen. Col. Noble of Italy, designer and builder of the blimp, was supervising the dismantling, he said.

LAWYER ENTITLED TO APPEAR, SAYS COURT OF APPEAL

John R. Green, Defendant in Court Case, Seeks Expression of Opinion

Allowed to Proceed With Arguments Concerning Bill of Costs

"You cannot get a better expression of opinion than the fact that we are allowing you to appear," Chief Justice Macdonald told John R. Green at a special sitting of the Appeal Court this morning. Mr. Justice Gallihier and Mr. Justice M. A. Macdonald, the only two other judges on the bench, coincided.

Mr. Green, against whom a charge of perjury is under consideration, had been instructed to secure other counsel by Mr. Justice Morrison in Supreme Court chambers a week ago. To-day he appeared to make application for leave to appear before the Supreme Court of Canada on a bill of costs connected with John Arbuthnot's litigation.

"I have some hesitation in appearing in view of the learned judge's refusal to hear me in Supreme Court chambers," Mr. Green said.

Chief Justice—You need have no apprehension. Mr. Green—I thought it proper to mention it. Your lordships will allow me to appear.

Chief Justice—You have the right and therefore it is not necessary to ask for leave.

Mr. Green mentioned that several matters of importance in which he was interested were coming up in Vancouver next week. If the learned judge there took the same steps as the judge in chambers in Victoria had done it would be impossible to proceed. He was unable to get other counsel to handle the involved matters at short notice.

"I submit I am perfectly entitled," Mr. Green was proceeding when the Chief Justice remarked: "I think you want an expression of opinion."

"I think I am entitled to appear. I have not been committed for trial," said Mr. Green.

"You can have no better expression of opinion than the fact that you are allowed to appear," replied the Chief Justice.

DIRIGIBLE NORGE FOUGHT BIG STORM

North Pole Airship Had Stiff Battle as it Neared Teller, Says Noble

Rome, May 17.—The final lap of the flight of the dirigible Norgé from Spitzbergen over the North Pole to Alaska was a heroic battle against an Arctic storm of which the result was in doubt until a momentary lull permitted the airship to be landed at Teller.

An official account of the flight, sent by Commander Noble, designer and navigator of the Norge, to Premier Mussolini from Nome this morning, said:

"The trip from Spitzbergen over the North Pole to Alaska was carried out successfully, covering about 1,232 miles in seventy-one hours. The flight was very difficult, because of strong winds and thick fog which was accompanied without difficulty, but during the second part, dangerous ice formations on various metallic parts of the dirigible hindered flying, causing damage which fortunately was not serious because of precautionary measures I had taken."

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events of recent days. The Government will address itself to the moral regeneration of the nation, with respect to the laws and canons and social justice and extirpate individual and party sectionalism."

DAMAGE REPAIRED

The victorious troops of the invading army have been busy to-day repairing the damage and restoring a semblance of order, but in other ways Warsaw appears to be conducting its activities in a normal way. The damage from the street fighting was not so heavy as at first supposed. The most dilapidated building is the War Office, there having been fierce exchanges between the opposing forces both within the building and around it. The public offices are

open as usual and street cars have begun operating.

RAILWAYS OPERATING

The railways are reported to be working regularly. The Paris-Warsaw Express arrived yesterday only an hour late.

There has been no change in the management of the Polish Bank. A public funeral for many of the victims of the war, which was postponed until to-day for what are described as "technical" reasons.

CABINET LIST

The new Cabinet is composed of the following:
Premier and Minister of Railways—Charles Bartel.

Minister of Interior—Prof. Lud. Slawski.
Foreign affairs—August Zaleski.
War—Marshall Joseph Pilsudski.
Finance—M. Czachowski.
Public works—Prof. Proniewski.
Labor—Dr. Jurkiewicz.
Agriculture and Agricultural Reform—Dr. Raczynski.
Industry and Commerce—Hypolite Gilwiec.
Education—Prof. Milkowski-Pomorski.

Justice—Prof. Wencelaski Makowski.
The Cabinet is made up largely of experts from different Government departments.

August Zaleski formerly was Ambassador to Italy.

TO CLEAR UP SITUATION

In a statement Premier Bartel said: "My Government has been formed to clear up the situation. It guarantees security and bids the citizens be calm and continue work. This Government will continue only until the election of a President by the National Assembly, which will be held with the least possible delay."

"The Government will firmly adhere to the constitution."

PEACEFUL OUTCOME

M. Rataj, who assumed the provisional presidency, also issued a statement laying stress on the urgency of reverting to a strictly constitutional

FREIGHT RATE FIGHT
TO OPEN ON JULY 12

The Board of Railway Commissioners will arrive in British Columbia July 5 to hold hearings at various points on the question of western freight rate reductions, according to word received by Premier Oliver from members of the railway tribunal to-day. In accordance with approximate dates fixed by the board it will sit in Nelson on July 15 and in Vancouver on July 12, spending the intervening week in the Okanagan cities. These dates are subject to revision if circumstances make it necessary for the board to change them. The Provincial Government's case for reduced freight rates will be laid before the board at its Vancouver session.

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IMMIGRANTS PASS
THROUGH MONTREAL

Parties Mostly From British Isles and Northern Europe En Route West

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that discussions would be over and above these factors, along lines of development of Canadian trade with the United States. An immediate reply was received advising that my interpretation was in complete accord with their views.

FORTY CANADIANS

"The ground thus cleared of any possible misunderstanding in this regard, I left at once for the East to organize a representative contingent. The Vancouver Board of Trade having indicated that they would not be represented, the Lumbermen's Association of Vancouver, with a clear-sighted recognition of the importance of the mission, particularly in view of the fact that the United States furnishes seventy per cent of the entire market for British Columbia sawn lumber, decided to send Mr. McNeil, Winnipeg appointed Trevor Sweetman, K.C., to represent the prairie provinces.

"I visited the Toronto Board of Trade and was able to place the facts before them in such a light that they reversed their original decision and sent their president, Charles Wilson. This was repeated at Montreal, who appointed a delegation headed by Colonel Robert Starke, president of the Montreal Board of Trade. Interviews with the Canadian Pacific Railway and Canadian National Railways resulted in their both appointing representatives, Mr. Starke and three leading Canadian banks. St. Johns appointed Mr. W. Edwards, who at the last moment was prevented from attending by sickness. He arrived at Charleston some forty strong.

ELEVEN HUNDRED DELEGATES
The convention itself was composed of eleven hundred delegates, the leaders of the industrial life of the United States, comprising the heads of such concerns as the U.S. Steel Corporation, General Electric Co., General Motors and the leading bankers of New York, etc. Babson described the meeting as the Forty Billion Dollar Convention—the greatest aggregation of wealth ever brought together in the United States of America.

The entire afternoon of the first day was turned over to the Canadian speakers, who gave a full attendance, and a distinctive feature was the compliment paid us in that not one delegate left his seat until the session was concluded.

The opening address developed upon the general lines of the general terms the policy we were there to enunciate. This was followed by Charles Wilson, (Toronto), Col. Starke (Montreal), Mr. (Robert) Starke, all of whom elaborated in great detail the general lines of our case.

BOUGHT LOWER TARIFF
Our objective was development of a better market for the farm products of the Maritime Provinces, for the wheat, hay and cattle of the Prairies, the dairy products of Ontario, and the lumber and other products of British Columbia. To our 130,000,000 nearest to the south of us—the greatest consuming market in the world—by means of lower duties being extended to us in such commodities as the only method of balancing the trade which at present is heavily against us.

WON OVER
"It was our unanimous opinion that the entire convention was won over to the justice of our plea, and that they were in entire accord that the present duties imposed upon our farm and other products were unjust, unfair, and should be re-adjusted in the broad light of that friendly relationship which is so essential and desirable from an international aspect.

"The Toronto and Montreal delegations, who went to Charleston with some original misgivings, were as enthusiastic as the rest of the Canadians as to the possibility of ultimate benefits materializing.

"The president of the National Foreign Trade Council expressed the opinion that the Canadian mission was the most successful ever held in the history of the organization. Nearly half of a long message he sent President Coolidge was devoted to the part that Canada had played.

NOT RECIPROCITY
"Let me emphasize the fact that no word or thought was given to reciprocity, the entire sentiment was one of justice to a friendly neighbor, combined with a deep realization that the English-speaking peoples must set an example to the rest of the world in this respect. The news of what took place at Charleston is common talk throughout Eastern Canada and the United States, and the part that Victoria played in the Canadian session, with such complete success, has constituted an advertisement for our city of the first magnitude.

INVITED INVESTMENTS
"I addressed the directors of the Montreal and Winnipeg Boards of Trade who, en route home, and at dinner tendered me by Mr. Holland, president of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association in Montreal, I spoke at length on the investment opportunities of Vancouver Island, pointing out that Eastern Canada's capital, which to-day is being heavily invested outside of the dominion, might very profitably be diverted to Vancouver Island and forge a strong commercial link between the East and the West. At present, capital from this source is conspicuous by its absence, in spite of the great and profitable developments and exploitations of our timber and fishery resources at the hands of our southern neighbors.

"The general ignorance of our resources on this island in Eastern Canada is very striking, and indicates a great field of education being open to us. The money and the desire is there, but not the necessary knowledge.

ELEVATOR PROJECT
"I had conferences in Ottawa, Montreal and New York with the Quinn interests and also in Regina, Winnipeg and Montreal in connection with the Moon Elevator project. In both these matters I am hopeful. They are certainly nearer than ever before. It took several years to secure the drydock, and three years to get the Assembly Plant, now nearly completed. Pessimistic talk was current in reference to both these developments. We are going on with the work, using tempo-

rary setbacks as stepping stones to success. We are nearer our goal to-day as a shipping port for grain, lumber and fisheries than at any time in the past.

"I spoke to many leading authorities in the East on our position as a grain port, and all conceded the peculiar advantages of the Victoria situation.

GREAT PROGRESS SEEN

"I was immensely impressed by the new developments in the Southern States, almost entirely due to the production of cheap hydro-electric power. It is now conceded that this is the one essential factor to new commercial development, and capital will readily follow cheap power to-day.

"Another very pronounced feature in the port development springing into life at points long dormant: it should furnish a striking lesson to Victoria. Charleston, with a white population of less than 30,000, has just completed the expenditure of millions on their seaport, and as a result their water borne traffic doubled last year. Astoria, Oregon, a few years ago but a fishing community, banded themselves for \$10,000,000, hired a port manager, and quickly became a large grain and lumber shipping port. These places have no particular advantage, except the will to establish themselves.

Many other instances came to my attention.

"Victoria, with its logical shipping position as a grain and lumber port, and the natural pivotal point for the West Coast fisheries, and a free port in the bargain, still continues to seek assistance from governments and outside capitalists to utilize our undoubted opportunities. We are one of the wealthiest cities in the Dominion per capita of population, and in ratio of bank deposits, but we have so far been unwilling to put up our own money to make ourselves what nature destined we should have the opportunity of becoming by reason of our geographical advantages.

OTHER DELEGATES
"J. O. Cameron returned via the Southern States. His knowledge of the lumber situation, particularly was of great advantage in advertising our resources in this respect, and he proved a valuable member of the Canadian delegation.

"George I. Warren went to Florida from Charleston—the greatest of addresses there to various public organizations, joining me afterwards in Montreal and Winnipeg. I was most favorably impressed with his advertising acumen, and particularly the excellent connection he has with advertising bureaux in the various centres of the East and also the railway companies. I saw the effectiveness of the excellent work he is carrying on.

"Let there be no misconception. Victoria is known all over the East and regarded as unique for her climate, beauty and attractiveness from a tourist and residential standpoint. I think it was reported you were committed for trial.

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STRONG WORDS

HON. F. B. McCURDY, PROMINENT
Nova Scotian, who was Minister of Public Works at Ottawa during Mr. Meighen's premiership, tells the government of his province, which was elected last year mainly on a policy of maritime rights, that it must show results within a reasonable time. In a letter to the press, which was printed in The Times a few days ago, he says that if it is not found possible to relieve Nova Scotia from the inequalities imposed upon it for the benefit of Central Canada, a referendum should be held to determine whether the people of the province desire to remain within Confederation or not.

Mr. McCurdy contends that Nova Scotia should be granted greater control over "those commercial powers which more or less regulate and foster trade and industry, by way of a regional tariff or other provisions which would set up an economic system suited to its particular needs."

The Maritime Provinces are very rich in natural resources. They have an abundance of mineral, agricultural and forest wealth. They have great fisheries. They have large water powers. They abound in lakes and rivers and have vast supplies of fish and game. They offer exceptional attractions to the tourist. The Morning Chronicle of Halifax recently issued an admirable tourist edition showing that the advantages Nova Scotia offers to travelers in the way of scenery or sport are unsurpassed by any other part of Canada. With such an endowment it ought to be possible for those provinces to realize their highest destiny within the Canadian confederation in the same measure that some of the other provinces are able to do it. Perhaps the commission recently appointed by Parliament to investigate the situation will find out just where the trouble lies and what the real remedy is.

At this range the most important economic consideration appears to be one of increasing the trade of the provinces to a point commensurate with the extent and variety of their resources. Their natural market should be the populous Atlantic states immediately adjoining them, but this consideration involves the question of tariffs which in turn involves party politics. The protectionist policy of Canada beyond question has been a millstone around the neck of the Maritime Provinces, but they themselves have helped to fasten it on. They gave a majority to the Conservative government at Ottawa which established the protective policy forty-seven years ago. In 1891 they opposed a policy of freer trade between Canada and the United States. In 1911 they were sharply divided on the question of reciprocity which would have been an immense boon to them. In the election last year they gave a big majority for Mr. Meighen, whose policy if carried out would stifle them still more.

Mr. McCurdy wants a regional tariff, in other words a tariff devised purely in the interests of the Maritime Provinces, with which of course he would bargain with the United States. If such a system could be adopted without severing the bonds of Canadian union it would be a fine thing for the Atlantic provinces. But if it were given to the eastern portion of Canada it would have to be given to other localities. The Prairie Provinces also would demand emancipation from the restrictions imposed upon them by a tariff erected mainly in the interests of Central Canada. We doubt if Confederation could stand such a strain, and Confederation must be maintained at all costs. It is to be hoped the commission which now has this formidable problem on hand will investigate it most thoroughly and fearlessly in all its aspects, and that it will recommend what it actually thinks should be done, without fear or favor, and without regard to anybody's political fetish or any ulterior interest.

SIR GUY GAUNT'S SEAT FILLED

ALTHOUGH THE SEAT RENDERED
vacant by the retirement of Vice-Admiral Sir Guy Gaunt was considered by the Baldwin Government to be reasonably safe for the Conservative cause, the by-election which has just been held revealed an anti-Conservative vote. It was a three-cornered contest, in which Sir Guy's successor polled 12,089 votes against 10,537 Liberals and 2,191 Labor votes respectively, a plurality for the latter combined of 639.

When the late member first ran for this constituency—the Buckrose division of Yorkshire—in 1922 his majority was approximately six hundred; in 1923, against the same Liberal opponent, the margin narrowed down to 214; but in the 1924 election Sir Guy obtained a majority over a new contender under the Liberal banner of 3,004. What would have happened if, as has been the case in the three former elections, the field had been left to Liberal and Conservative, is more or less indicated by the result of the contest just over.

ANOTHER AIR RECORD

UNTIL THE OTHER DAY THE SPEED
record for flight between London and Paris was held by a four-seater aeroplane and this machine did the journey in eighty-seven minutes—245 miles. Last week, in just ninety minutes, three minutes short of the record time, an Imperial Airways pilot flew a big fifteen-seater air liner with a full load of passengers and freight, weighing in all six tons, over the same route. The average speed maintained was no less than 154 miles an hour and constitutes a record for an aeroplane of this size and carrying capacity.

Practically every week witnesses new triumphs in the air. Only a little more than ten years ago the feasibility of using aeroplanes for commercial purposes was being questioned by even the most advanced students of aeronautics. The expectation was that for more or less individual accomplishment, such as their employment in war and exploration, they would be successful; but the air liner was then a very doubtful proposal. There were those, of course, who laughed at the idea of a heavier-than-air machine rising above the novelty stage. The record to which we have referred, however, is another indication of what extraordinary progress has been made since the war and what may be expected from time to time.

JUST FOG AND ICE

AMUNDSEN'S PARTY PALE PLENTY
of ice and fog at the North Pole, and nothing else. This is all Peary said he saw when he visited the place some years ago, so that is all there is to it. Scores of lives have been lost to the lure of this accumulation of ice and fog. Expedition has followed expedition into that barren waste throughout the centuries, some of them spending years beyond the agencies of communication and some never returning. To those who were moved by the urge to discovery and exploration, who wanted to contribute something useful, and substantial to the sum of human knowledge, the world owes its gratitude and admiration. For those who were prompted chiefly by the ambition to beat somebody else to the pole or to get nearer to it than the last man that tried it, the world's tribute is charged with certain reservations.

It is a pity newspapers and magazines did not flourish in the days when the Cabots, Cortereal and Cartier were exploring the Gulf of St. Lawrence about four hundred years ago, or when Henry Hudson, Davis and Baffin were braving the ice-fields of Hudson's Bay three centuries ago. Their readers would have had their money's worth in genuine thrills. Amundsen in his latest venture has done much less than those intrepid adventurers did. He merely has given the world a new novelty in polar transportation. His greatest achievement was his journey through the Northwest Passage about twenty years ago, and it took him several years to do it.

WHAT OTHER PAPERS SAY

BRITAIN AND POLAND

From The Warsawian (Poland)
The apparently favorable British attitude toward Germany is much less diffused than is commonly supposed. It is an artificial product for the most part of suggestions in the press and the activities of so-called peace societies. British public opinion, no less than French and Italian, has much too keen a sense of realities to be taken in.

HOW IT HELPS THE WEST

From The Toronto Globe
Additional vindication of the Canadian-Australian preferential treaty, if such were needed, is seen in the impetus which it is giving to the paper and pulp industry in British Columbia. Because of the Australian market, two more newspaper mills are being established, doubling the production of the Pacific Province.

Lack of markets has hampered development of the immense resources of British Columbia. It is credited with having available more than 285,000,000 cords of pulpwood, consisting chiefly of spruce, Western hemlock and balsam. As recently as 1910 no ton of pulp or paper was manufactured in the Province. To-day it ranks next to Ontario and Quebec, with a capital investment of some \$41,000,000, giving employment to more than 2,500 persons. The two existing mills are turning out 200 tons of newspaper per day, and this will be doubled when the two new mills are operating. It is estimated that the value of this product will shortly reach \$20,000,000 a year, much of it finding its way to Australia.

TESTING THEORY WITH FACTS

From The Manitoba Free Press
There has been an interesting and valuable discussion of the South African Parliament on the question of Imperial relationship. General Hertzog, the Premier, in the course of his remarks, said that his view was that the Union stood on an equal footing with Great Britain. "It was no longer," he said, "a question of fighting for an independent status; they had that now." He added, "We say that as a free nation it must recognize only one authority—the will of its own people." General Hertzog sought to differentiate his views from those of General Smuts by representing the latter as favoring some kind of a central government for the Empire, but General Smuts promptly repudiated this interpretation of his views, saying: "I regard the British Empire as an organic combination of equal states. There is no super-state, no super-authority." General Smuts declared that this was the view of every Dominion Prime Minister and British Prime Minister.

General Smuts is probably right in declaring that every British Prime Minister from Mr. Baldwin right along the line to Mr. Coats of New Zealand will say what he said in the South African Parliament. Mr. Mackenzie King will certainly say it. But do they mean what they say? Or is this just a bit of patter for ceremonial occasions? If they mean what they say, why do they not make their assertion a fact, in place of a mere parade of words? Of course, if the Empire is a "combination of equal states," as General Smuts says, it is equally true, as General Hertzog says, that for each of these nations there is "only one authority—the will of its own people." But let us see how in fact these large claims work out. In 1877 the Canadian Parliament forbade criminal appeals to the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council. In 1924, thirty-nine years later, the Judicial Committee informs Canada that this is a matter about which she has nothing to say; the law which really governs is an Imperial statute dating from 1832. How does this jibe with the theory to which all the British Prime Ministers pay lip service—that we are all equal; and that the only authority for each nation is the will of its own people? Surely there could be no more complete test of the validity of this much-vaunted claim than the decision of the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council.

Do You Mean What You Say?

The Register and Tribune Syndicate, Des Moines

SQUARE MEAL

The repeat, which in correct English would be termed a full meal, is called in America, a "square meal." The variation of the term results from the fact that a full meal is only enjoyed at a table usually square, whereas a snack or light lunch may be taken at a lunch counter or soda fountain.

Canadian Questions and Answers

TOBACCO PRODUCTION

Q.—What is the extent of the tobacco industry in Canada?
A.—The total value of production of tobacco in Canadian factories during 1924 reached nearly \$60,000,000, most of which was in Quebec factories. Cigarettes represented the largest sum, viz.: \$25,455,985, with smoking tobacco next at \$17,204,000. Canada is steadily increasing her own growth of tobacco.

LAKE LOUISE

Q.—Where is Lake Louise?
A.—Lake Louise is universally known as the Gem of the Rockies in Canada, and which is usually visited by tens of thousands of tourists. It is situated at an altitude of 5,670 feet above sea level and is regarded as one of the most perfect gems of scenery in the world with its ever-changing colors and the mirroring effect of its waters when calm. Mount Victoria with its glacier hangs in the Lake on the west and other great peaks makes it a deep-hearted basin set in a granite bowl.

The WEATHER
Daily Bulletin Prepared by the Victoria Herald
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Victoria, May 17.—5 a.m.—The barometer remains stationary over 30.1; wind, 2 miles N.W.; weather, cloudy.

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Sir Squire Bancroft Mourned For Noted Career on Stage

Reuter's Special to The Victoria Times

London, May 17.—The death of Sir Squire Bancroft removes a familiar and striking figure from the West End, and revives for old playgoers memories of a delightful past.

The number of those who can recall the Bancroft management is few, for it is over thirty years since Mr. and Mrs. Bancroft, in the hey-day of their success, had the strength of mind to retire. There have been few theatrical sensations to equal the sensation created by the sudden and unexpected announcement, "Mr. and Mrs. Bancroft beg to announce that this will be their farewell season," and, unlike many actors and actresses, they kept their word.

Ten years later, however, for a brief spell a new theatrical generation had the pleasure of witnessing their consummate art. Sardou's "Diplomacy" was revived with all the original cast, including many actors like Sir John Hare, who had all become famous. Never was there such a caste, and the finished acting gave life to that artificial piece of work by the "crafty carpenter of plays."

Then for years Sir Bancroft was a notable figure in the West End. Tall, striking-looking, and dressed with just a touch of picturesque, he was a personality whom nobody could overlook. He knew everybody, both in the social and political world. He was a member of the Athenaeum, and a keen, but very indifferent, player. He was, however, welcome to sit at any table, for in between the games—sometimes in between the hands—he would indulge in a flow of reminiscences which held the rest of the party spellbound. The whole social life of the seventies and eighties was revived, and his hearers lived for a brief space in the glorious days. Sir Bancroft was happy in his profession; happy in his marriage; happy in his retirement; and he died regretted by all who knew him.

British M.P.'s to See Russia; Lloyd George May Also Make Tour

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London, May 17.—Such great uncertainty prevails regarding the present state of affairs in Russia that considerable importance attaches to the Conservative mission composed of four members of Parliament which has just set out on what is described as a semi-official tour.

The mission has as its object a complete and comprehensive investigation of all conditions of life, and it is the first time that any party of Conservative members has visited Russia since the Revolution. After spending a few days in Moscow, the party will split up, and it is expected that over 2,000 miles will be covered by the members in the course of their travels throughout the country. Agriculture, grain, coal, oil, and education are among the subjects which will engage the party's attention.

The main idea is to see exactly how things stand at present under the Soviet. Sir Frank Nelson, one of the delegates, said, "The time we shall be away depends very largely upon what we are able to accomplish. In any case, we shall certainly stay over there for a month, and if necessary we shall extend our tour."

An entirely free hand to go where they like and see what they like has been promised the mission by the Soviet authorities, and Sir Frank Nelson said that the Russian diplomatic representative in London had given them every facility and courtesy.

Lieutenant-Colonel Moore, another delegate, said, "Judging from certain information that has trickled through, I have formed the opinion that the Soviet Government is rather in a state of evolution at the present moment, and is preparing to recognize her pre-revolutionary obligations, and to admit that the capitalist and individual enterprise system is the fairest, and works the best. I think, too, that Russia is likely, perhaps, with a little encouragement from us, to be ready to give compensation to Britishers who were engaged on undertakings in the country before the war, so that they may carry on the development and exploitation of the country in security."

There is a likelihood of Lloyd George carrying out this year his long-expressed intention of visiting Russia. His principal critic in the Liberal party, Wedgwood Benn, is at present in Moscow, having proceeded there with his wife from Constantinople, where they were holidaying. He traveled to Russia via the Black Sea and the Volga.

PENTICTON COPS HONORS

Vernon, May 17.—Pentiction won honors at the athletic meet held by the Okanagan Valley Inter-school association here on Saturday, capturing two cups and having a very long lead in the public school events and a total in the two of 111, with Kelowna second with 70, and Vernon third with 65. Kelowna won honors in the high school section with 49 points. Vernon being next with 45. Kelowna also captured two cups. The meet brought thousands of people to Vernon.



MISS SYLVIA THOMPSON

Miss Sylvia Thompson, who has stepped into the ranks of best sellers with her novel "The Hounds of Spring," is already at work on another novel, which she says will be called "The Shadow of the Lamp." Part of the story will be laid in New York, where Miss Thompson spent most of last Autumn as one of the inter-parliamentary committee. At the moment she is going abroad, first to the Riviera, then to Vienna, and then to Budapest.

PLAIN "MR."
I see that some foreign newspapers sometimes speak of John Galsworthy as "Sir." One woman reporter writes of how she was "ushered into the presence of Sir John." It is not the first time that the author of the "Forsyte Saga" has figured among the knights. Some years ago he was included in the published official lists of those on whom knighthood had been conferred. There had been a misunderstanding. He had been approached, but like Mr. Gladstone, he preferred to remain plain "Mr."

THE BEST-REVIEWED BOOKS
"The Letters of Queen Victoria" and "The Intimate Papers of Colonel House" were unquestionably the best reviewed books of the season. Each is of great historical consequence, and they are also marked with the personal touch (being revelations of personality), which is so alluring to the general reader.

I am told that only two books in the last twenty years—Stanley on "Darkest Africa" and Lord French on "1914"—have had as much attention given them in the Press as the "Intimate Papers," but the sales of the last named are likely to exceed those of the former. Autobiographies and collections of letters have also been widely reviewed and read since the beginning of the year. "Squire Cabaldston: His Autobiography," is bound to rank as a sporting classic. "The Sunlit Hours" by Sir Theodore Andrea Cook, is the life of a sportsman who is also a scholar, and I am not surprised to learn that it has done well.

Two notable collections of correspondence are "The Letters of Sir Walter Raleigh" and "The Letters of Maurice Hewlett," each of which reveals a beguiling personality, and it is not surprising that they are both in considerable demand. Perhaps the most unexpectedly intriguing of all the Spring autobiographies is Mrs. Sidney Webb's "My Apprenticeship," which is not the mass of statistics and other awkward circumstances we looked for, but quite a temperamental record of moods and meditations and memories of celebrities.

A GREAT FLIGHT
Alan Cobham has written an account of his flight to Cape Town and back, and it is to be published. Besides its value as a survey of the possibilities of a great commercial air route across Africa, the flight was as full of excitement and real adventure as any novel reader could wish. The book is entitled "With Cobham to the Cape."

SOME FORTHCOMING BOOKS
"The Aryans: A Study of Indo-European Origins," by V. Gordon Childe, is published this month in a wonderful "History of Civilization" series. The author makes a fresh analysis of the whole Aryan question in the light of the latest discoveries in the East and the progress made in the study of prehistoric civilization in Europe—especially in Greece. Another forthcoming volume in the same series is entitled "From Tribe to Empire: Social Organizations Among the Primitive Peoples and in the Ancient East," by Professor A. Morte and G. Davy.

Longmans will publish during the Summer a new "History of England," by George Macaulay Trevelyan, in one volume of some 700 pages. The author analyses English social development in relation to economic conditions, political forces and overseas activities, his object

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being to deal with the growth of the nation and Empire rather than with the reigns of Kings and Queens.

All-steel Trains Make Their Debut On English Lines

Reuter's Special to The Victoria Times

London, May 17.—The first all steel train in this country—apart from those on the London tube system—made the journey to and from Birmingham just as the strike started. It is an innovation that may mark an important epoch in railway development.

The pioneers are the London, Midland and Scottish Railway, who decided upon a big experiment in all steel trains because, among other reasons, the world's supply of timber is rapidly diminishing, and the steel coach employs the product of British industries, whereas the wooden coach employs foreign materials. The carriages have steel bodies, floors of compressed steel, sections covered with fireproof cement, and finished as to their interiors in mahogany, though many will be steel throughout.

So skillfully have the designs been drawn that there is little difference in appearance between the steel and the wooden carriages, but they are held by experts to have many conspicuous advantages. The steel carriages give increased stability and run as smoothly and flexibly as the carriage which is more common at present. They render the causation of fire remote, and in case of mishaps they will not splinter—wooden carriages do, with consequent damage to life and limb—but buckle. They can be ventilated as efficiently as their forerunners, and the heating apparatus enables an even temperature to be maintained in all weathers. The timber used for decorative purposes in the new carriages was imported from the Dominions. The initial cost of a steel carriage is slightly greater than that of a wooden carriage, but maintenance costs are expected to be lighter.

The party who traveled on the train included representatives of the Indian, Australian, Egyptian, New South Wales, and South African Governments, who are considering the introduction of similar trains in their own countries.

Canadian Net Stars Enter U.S. Tourney

Hartford, Conn., May 17.—Willard Crocker and Jack Wright of Montreal, the Canadian Davis Cup stars, among the entrants for the New England tennis championship tournament to be held on the Hartford Golf Club courts starting June 1. William T. Tilden, present holder of the New England title, will defend his honors.

WEST KOOTENAY JOINS

Trail, B.C., May 17.—West Kootenay Amateur Baseball Association Saturday voted to affiliate with the B.C.A.B.A., which will make the winner of the West Kootenay League eligible for provincial honors. A three-club senior league was formed at Nelson, Trail and Rosland. The club at Metelline Falls, Wash., which has played in this league the last two years being excluded under the rules of the provincial organization.

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FALLS TO DEATH FROM MONUMENT

London, May 17.—Temperley Scott, aged fifteen, ascended the Peshaw Monument in County Durham, and fell seventy feet, being instantly killed. The monument is a famous landmark. It is in the form of a Greek temple, and is in memory of the first Earl of Durham, once Governor-General of Canada.

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CHILDREN BURNED IN CAR ACCIDENT

Gasoline Explosion in Borrowed Car Injures Ottawa Family

Ottawa, May 17.—It was stated this morning at the hospital where they are detained that Mrs. Joseph Pelow and her four-year-old daughter, Josephine, were both somewhat improved. The mother is not considered in grave danger, but the daughter's condition is still serious. These were the two most seriously burned when flames from burning gasoline yesterday spread through a touring model automobile in which were seated three adults and eight children. Three others suffered painful burns, but not of serious nature. They were Joseph Pelow, who was driving the car; Joseph Pelow, Jr., two years old, and Charlotte Pelow, eight years. Six other occupants of the five-passenger touring car escaped with slight burns that did not require attention. Pelow, a laborer, had borrowed the car from a friend to give the family and friends an outing.

Sketch Club Formed—At a meeting of the Island Arts and Crafts Association held on Wednesday last, a sketch club for members only, was formed. The club will come into being officially on June 1, and its headquarters will be in the arts and crafts rooms, Union Bank Buildings. There will be no additional fee and the only condition of membership will be the regular monthly contribution by each member, of one or more unsigned sketches which will be hung in the club rooms and impersonally criticized by some competent critic. Mrs. W. S. Willis has been appointed convenor for the sketch club with Mrs. Young and Miss Lettice assisting. Any further information may be had by telephoning any members of this committee.

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SOCIAL PERSONAL WOMEN'S AFFAIRS CLUB AND NEWS

HOSPITALS VISITED SUNDAY BY LORD AND LADY BYNG

Ex-Service Patients First Thought of Their Excellencies

The interest of the Governor-General and Lady Byng in the ex-service men who are still suffering from the effects of war service was manifested in marked degree yesterday afternoon, when their Excellencies visited the local hospitals. At both the Provincial Royal Jubilee and St. Joseph's Hospitals their first inquiry was for the ex-service patients, in whose welfare they showed kindly and sympathetic interest.

At the Jubilee Hospital their Excellencies were received by Dr. E. M. Pearce, medical superintendent, and Miss Jessie McKenzie, lady superintendent. Two lines of nurses in snowy uniforms formed a guard of honor at the main entrance. After the formal greetings, Mrs. C. W. Rhodes, president of the Women's Auxiliary, and Dr. J. N. Taylor of the S.C.R. were presented to the distinguished visitors.

Lord Byng's inquiry was for the veterans who were still undergoing treatment, and he at once made his way to these wards. He chatted with each man for a few minutes, inquiring solicitously for their welfare, asking particulars of their service, and wishing them a speedy recovery and good luck. The visit of His Excellency cheered the men considerably, and they welcomed their old "Chief" with very evident pleasure.

While Lord Byng was on his round of visits, Lady Byng asked for the maternity ward where she took great interest in the happy babies who had recently made their advent. Her Excellency also showed especial interest in the operating theatre, and expressed her admiration of the up-to-date equipment.

After a stay of about an hour, their Excellencies shook hands with the nurses who were drawn up at the entrance, and from whom Lady Byng received two beautiful bouquets. After expressing their admiration of the excellence of the equipment and the efficient appearance of the staff, Lord and Lady Byng left for St. Joseph's Hospital, the vice-regal party was welcomed by Right Rev. Bishop O'Donnell, Dr. J. N. Taylor of the S.C.R. and the Sisters. They passed between two rows of uniformed nurses, who formed a guard of honor.

As at the Jubilee Hospital, Lord Byng's first thought was for his former comrades in arms. Dr. Taylor introducing the men to His Excellency, who smiled and chatted with each man, leaving them with a renewed affection for the former Commander-in-Chief of the Canadian Corps.

Visits were also paid by the distinguished visitors to the various wards and departments, they evincing much interest in the efficient equipment and conduct of the institution, and congratulating the Sisters upon their work. Before departing, Lady Byng was presented by Miss Harris, senior graduate nurse, with a beautiful bouquet of roses. As their Excellencies left, the crowd which had gathered gave them a hearty cheer in farewell.

At 4 o'clock Lord Byng drove to Memorial Avenue, accompanied by Mayor Carl Pendray and Rev. Macnicol of Saanich. Many citizens lined the avenue and greeted His Excellency as he drove along.

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Other guests included Miss Helen Mackenzie, Mrs. A. F. Griffiths, Provincial President, Mrs. W. C. Nichol and Miss Eva Sandford. Charming little bouquets marked each place, and dainty orange bouquets were presented to Her Excellency and to Miss Mackenzie.

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Rev. J. W. Flinton of Sandwick is spending a few days in Victoria, staying at the home of his daughter, Mrs. F. J. Merriman, 1439 Ross St.

Captain Matterson, who has been spending the last few months in Victoria as a guest at the Union Club, has returned to his home at Parkville.

The many friends of Mr. F. W. Vincent, Erie Street, will be pleased to hear he is convalescing from his recent operation at the Jubilee Hospital.

Mr. Sidney Evans of Seattle is spending a few days in Victoria as the guest of his brother-in-law and sister, Captain and Mrs. Aubrey Kent, St. Andrew's Street.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Pollard, who have been guests at The Angela since their return from England, have taken up their residence in their new home on Blenkinslop Road.

The regular semi-monthly meeting of the Women's Liberal-Conservative Club will be held in the clubrooms this evening at 8 o'clock. The proposed debate has been postponed and, a social evening has been arranged instead.

Miss Mary Cramer, who has been enjoying the Winter in California, has returned to Victoria, and is renewing acquaintances with her old friends. Miss Cramer is staying with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Cramer.

Mrs. Meakin entertained at a bridge party at her home in Stadcona on Saturday afternoon and was assisted by her sister-in-law, Mrs. Meakin. Mrs. Meakin, who presided at the tea table. The guests present were Mrs. Meakin, Mrs. A. Sommer, Mrs. Oscar Sommer, Mrs. C. H. O'Hallahan, Mrs. J. Walker, Mrs. H. Dawson, Mrs. D. Kennedy, Mrs. J. Gorman, Mrs. J. T. Brady, Mrs. Knight, Mrs. R. Paterson, Miss Camus, Miss Sunderland, Miss K. Roberts, Miss Chisholm, Miss Coneyers, Mrs. R. J. Gurney and Mrs. R. White, Miss Allan and Miss Marjorie Broley.

A number of friends of Miss Mary Duncan paid a surprise visit to her home, 326 Kerr Avenue, Gorge, on Wednesday evening, on the occasion of her twentieth birthday. The party was spent in dancing and games. A three-piece orchestra played for the dancing. Mr. Thomas Moran rendered several songs which were greatly appreciated. Mrs. E. A. Duncan was assisted in receiving the guests by her sister-in-law, Mrs. J. Moran. Among those present were: Mrs. E. A. Duncan, J. Moran, J. Moran, Miss Mary Duncan, Mrs. Moran, Agnes Nyland, Mary, Monica and Margaret Bart, K. McConnell, Margaret Hurst, Sophie Hook, Francis Hutchinson, Olivia Redenbach, L. Kelly, Victor Nelson, S. McConnell, Messrs. R. A. Duncan, R. Duncan, Jr., E. Duncan, G. Sinnott, R. Duncan, G. Duncan, Fred Mould, H. Hook, Alex. Robinson, R. Kinsinger, Thos. Moran, Troy Hodgson, Gerald Pagan, G. Hutchinson, Carl Conroy, Beverly, Peden, Jimmy Underwood, Murray Dodge, Herbert Griffiths.

DUCHESS OF ATHOLL BACK IN ENGLAND Describes Canadians as "Open-hearted, Open-handed People"

London, May 17 (Canadian Press Cable)—"From the first I was made to feel that I was in no strange land and came away feeling that I had spent a very happy month among an open-hearted, open-handed people," stated the Duchess of Atholl, speaking yesterday of her recent tour of Canada.

The Duchess paid a tribute to Canadians for the interest taken in education.

Loyal True Blues—On Wednesday, May 19, there will be a silver tea at the home of Mrs. Galloway, 305 Johnson Street, from 3 to 5 p.m., to which all friends of the Lodge are cordially invited. All members should take this opportunity of being present to meet Sister Martin, P.W.M., who is here on a visit from Vancouver. The Lodge is having a garden party on June 9 at the home of Mrs. Adams, 221 Esquimalt Road.

King's Daughters—The annual meeting of the District King's Daughters will be held this evening at 8 o'clock in the rear room, Hibben-Bone Building. Reports will be presented and officers elected. Plans will also be discussed in connection with the June convention.

Royal Purple Card Party—The last of the Winter series of card parties arranged by the ladies of the Royal Purple will be held on Tuesday evening in the Elks' clubroom, commencing at 8.30. Five hundred will be played, to be followed by dancing, for which Hunt's orchestra will furnish the music.

Memorial Park Appeal Netted Total of \$587

Saturday's appeal for the Stevenson Memorial Park at Spring Ridge met with a generous response from the public and the collection totaled the splendid sum of \$587. The money has been placed in charge of Alderman Marchant, acting treasurer of the Stevenson Memorial Fund. A number of children assisted with the collection, and were served with refreshments at the School Board room at the City Hall, which was the headquarters for the day. Dr. Lewis Hall generously donated the milk, and Bonnie & Taylor the bread and cakes for the youngsters.

ELECTED QUEEN

The candidate representing Canada, secured the largest number of votes in the Queen contest, which ended on Saturday evening, and so will reign as Queen over the revels on May 21, 22 and 24. This decision was announced yesterday morning, following the tally of the votes, the last of which was accepted at 6 o'clock on Saturday evening.

The final tally of the candidates was as follows: Miss Matthews, \$2,930 votes, representing Canada; Miss Griffiths, \$6,505 votes, representing Wales; Miss O'Connor, \$5,515 votes, representing Ireland; Miss Wallace, \$5,509 votes, representing Scotland; Miss Parsons, \$2,930 votes, representing England.

The total gross receipts of the contest were \$2,905.50, from which the expenses of the campaign have to be deducted.

WOMEN OF B.C. TO JOIN IN RETIRING GIFT TO LADY BYNG

Mrs. Oliver Asks Ladies of Province to Co-operate in National Movement

Women of British Columbia will be asked to take part in the national movement started to arrange the presentation of a suitable gift to Lady Byng at the expiration of her husband's term as Governor-General. Co-operating with those in Ottawa who have launched this movement, Mrs. John Oliver, wife of Premier Oliver, to-day sent out a circular letter on the matter to the municipal authorities of all cities and towns in the Province, as follows:

"I am in receipt of a letter from Mrs. Lapointe, wife of the Hon. Ernest Lapointe, Minister of Justice at Ottawa, suggesting that in view of the approaching departure of Lady Byng it would be appropriate for the women of Canada to show some testimony of their appreciation of her work for the welfare of the women and people of the Dominion as a whole—this testimony to take the form of a presentation on her departure with her distinguished husband at the end of their vice-regal term.

CENTRAL BODY FORMED "A central organization committee has been formed at Ottawa, and the decision reached that the collection of subscriptions be left to the various provinces to devise what systems they think would prove most effective for the purpose in view."

"It is for this purpose that I am taking the liberty of writing, on behalf of the Ottawa committee, to ask if it is possible for you, as chief executive of your municipality, to get in touch with your various women's organizations, or other public bodies which may be interested, and arrange some method of contributing towards a gift which will prove emblematic of the high regard in which Lady Byng is held by the women of Canada."

"The time for receiving subscriptions will expire about the middle of June, and it is considered advisable that they should be received at a central repository in each municipality from which the total should be forwarded direct to the treasurer of the Central Committee, Mrs. J. H. King, 190 Somerset Street, Ottawa."

LEFT TO CITIES "In view of the shortness of time it has been found impossible to formulate any definite idea of organization, and I think it would be better to leave the matter in your hands, as undoubtedly you will know the best method of securing the full co-operation of the various women's organizations in your municipality. I have no doubt that your local press will be only too pleased to assist in giving publicity to this movement."

"It is needless for me to dwell upon the warm affection which Lady Byng has won for herself in the hearts of the people of Canada, and if you can assist in this endeavor to show some tangible token of this feeling I can assure you of my earnest appreciation."

Review to Meet—Queen Alexandra Review will meet this evening at 7.30 in the K. of C. Hall. The meeting will be followed by a novelty social.

Cold Water Always Colman's Mustard aids digestion

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Many Attractions in May Day Frolic

Carnival Committee Arranges Fine Programme for Two-day Street Carnival

One of the biggest features in the May Day celebration will be the street carnival on Yates and Blanshard Streets.

A fine programme has been arranged by the committee in charge, and it is anticipated that a large crowd will attend. The feature on the programme will be the crowning of King Carnival and the midnight costume frolic.

The programme of events for the carnival are as follows: SATURDAY EVENING, MAY 22 Yates Street, at the Boundary of Douglas Street

6.30 to 7.30—Band concert on stage. 7.30—Crowning of King Carnival. 7.40 to 8.20—Band concert. 8.30 to 10.30—All star vaudeville show on stage. Seats will be laid out on the street and a small charge will be made to cover expenses.

Auction sale of superfluties on Yates Street, opposite Gordons Limited. Blanshard Street Adjoining Yates Street

7 p.m.—Roller hockey game and sports. 8.30—Opening features of costume frolic: Queen of Carnival—and her retinue in attendance; also King Carnival.

8.40 to midnight—Costume frolic. Prizes will be awarded for best doubles and singles. Charleston competitions—City championship. Prizes for best doubles and singles. Note—Victorians are urgently requested to wear some kind of fancy costume or head dress.

MONDAY EVENING, MAY 24 Yates Street 7 p.m.—Band concert. 8 p.m.—Farewell appearance of Queen of Carnival and her retinue. 8.30 to 10.30—Vaudeville show. Blanshard Street 7 p.m.—Sports inside enclosure. 8.30 to midnight—Street dance; battle of confetti; carnival features. The music for the dances on the two evenings will be supplied by Charlie Hunt's twelve-piece orchestra.

Committee—Chairman, W. H. Davies, A. Jones, Jas. McCall, D. Horton, H. N. Fynn, A. H. Davies. Auction committee, F. Landberg, T. Braden and Gust Westendahl.

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ROYAL OAK W.I. GIVES DONATIONS TO VARIOUS CAUSES

The regular monthly meeting of the Royal Oak W.I. was held at the Wayside Inn, East Road, on Wednesday afternoon with a fair attendance. The president, Mrs. A. T. Hodgson was in the chair. Correspondence from North and South Saanich Agriculture Society was read, and a special prize of \$5 was donated by the institute in the domestic science class for the fall fair. A letter was read from Mrs. T. C. Robson, Island district convener of agriculture, requesting funds to balance the Women's Institute section of the provincial potato show. A donation of \$3 was granted by the institute.

Mrs. Booth, president of the Island district board, was introduced, and gave a brief talk on the financing of the Island's district conference, when a few questions were asked, to which Mrs. Booth replied. The secretary gave the report of the winter series of card parties, which were very gratifying, with a substantial balance augmenting the institute funds.

It was decided during the Summer months to hold the meetings in the evenings at 7:30 o'clock being more convenient for the busy days. The secretary was asked to send in the entry for the W.I. exhibit for the provincial fair, to be held in August. A letter was read from the Victoria Farmers' Institute stating a grant was made of \$5 for the children's

caterpillar contest. Prizes and \$3 for the Ward Five flower show, to be held in September. A letter of condolence was sent to Mrs. V. S. MacLachlan, secretary of the Provincial Women's Institutes, in the loss of her husband.

Mrs. T. C. Robson of Vimy W.I. district, convener of agriculture, gave an educational talk on the "Culture of Potatoes," explaining the rapid increase of certified seed. Potato growing in British Columbia and the various dishes made from potatoes. Both Mrs. Robson and Mrs. Booth were accorded a hearty vote of thanks.

Dainty refreshments were served by the hostesses of the day, Mesdames Campbell and Stone.

Hon. C. A. Dunning Visited Winnipeg

Winnipeg, May 17.—Hon. Charles A. Dunning, Minister of Railways and Canals, left Winnipeg Saturday for Ottawa after a stay of fourteen hours here. The reasons for his flying visit were not divulged, the only statement forthcoming being that he was on a business trip.

Mr. Dunning is expected back in two weeks' time to confer with the Manitoba Liberal Association.

A little girl was out walking with her aunt when a man passing them raised his hat.

"Who was that, auntie?" she inquired.

"That's Mr. Brown, dear," was the reply; "he's the village undertaker."

"Oh, yes, I remember him now," said the child; "he undertook my granma."

BEDTIME STORY

Uncle Wiggily and the Bark Bungalow

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By HOWARD R. GARIS

Once upon a time, when Uncle Wiggily was hopping through the woods, looking for an adventure, the rabbit gentleman heard a voice say: "I'll be the Fuzzy Fox!"

And another voice said: "I'll be Uncle Wiggily!"

"Yes," went on the first voice, "and I must chase you and you must jump over the brook to get away from me. And you drop a banana skin on the edge of the brook when you jump over, and I'm the Fox, and I slip on the banana skin and I'll splash in the brook and holler Yow!"

"That'll be lots of fun!" said the second voice, and Uncle Wiggily laughed to himself and wondered who was pretending to be him and who was pretending to be the Fuzzy Fox.

So the rabbit gentleman looked over the top of the bushes and saw Jollie and Jollie Longtail, the brother and sister mouse, sitting on toadstools near a little house made of bark.

"Oh, what a cute little house!" cried the rabbit gentleman as he hopped out from behind the bush. "Who made it, Uncle Wiggily?"

"We made it," Uncle Wiggily squeaked Jollie, the boy mouse. "We made it out of bark, and we call it our little bungalow."

"Of course it isn't as big as your hollow stump bungalow, Uncle Wiggily," said Jollie, the girl mouse, "but it's big enough for us to play in and we like it."

"Don't you want to come in it and play with us?" asked Jollie. "We're just going to play Fox and Rabbit."

"I heard you!" said the bunny gentleman with a laugh and a twinkle of his nose. "But I'm afraid the bark bungalow is too small to let me get in. It's big enough for you mice, but not large enough for me."

"No, I guess it isn't," agreed Jollie. "But you can watch Jollie and me play the game."

"How would you like to play the lollipop game?" asked Mr. Longears, as he looked at the cute little bungalow which Jollie and Jollie had made of pieces of bark from trees—not dogs' bark, you understand.

"How do you play the lollipop game?" asked Jollie.

"Well," said Uncle Wiggily slowly, "you take a penny and go to the lollipop store and you ask for a lollipop. If you get it you win the game."

"But spon!" you haven't any pennies," squeaked Jollie.

"Then you have to find some old rabbit gentleman like me, and he'll give you the penny!" laughed Uncle Wiggily. "Come on! We'll go play the lollipop game!" So he took the two little mice children to the candy store.

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"Oh, don't! Stop! Yowpie yip!" howled the bay chap and away he ran, taking his silvery little tail with him. And when Uncle Wiggily came back with Jollie and Jollie they said Squeakie Eekie was brave to nip the Bob Cat's tail, and the little cousin mouse had a whole lollipop for herself.

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Minced Beef, 3 lbs. for 25¢
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New Sports Gloves for the Holiday

Chamoisette Gloves

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LIEUT.-GOVERNOR TO PRESENT MEDALS

Peace Essay Winners to Attend Public Meeting on Tuesday

The medals awarded in connection with the annual peace essay contest arranged by the Stevenson Memorial plan will be presented by His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor at a public meeting to be held in the Metropolitan Institute Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Hon. W. C. Nichol will preside, and Rev. Dr. Clay will give a short talk on the Stevenson Memorial plan. The Lieutenant-Governor will present the medals to the successful students, James Gibson and Ross Jung of North Ward School, who won the medals for entrance class division, and Winifred Blackett and Evelyn Bonavia, who were successful in the third year High School section. Judge Lammiman will make the announcement for the future of the contest.

During the evening musical selections will be given, including organ numbers by G. Jennings Burnett.

Wm. M. Wilson, Veteran Printer, Dies at Resthaven

William Macpherson Wilson, a well-known printer and a veteran of the Fenian Raid in 1866, passed away on Saturday evening at Resthaven after a long illness.

The late Mr. Wilson was born in Almonte, Ontario, on August 25, 1848, and was educated at Ottawa. He left Ottawa at an early age for Winnipeg, reaching there at the beginning of some time. From Winnipeg he moved to Vancouver, where he worked on The World under the late J. C. McLaughlin, and The News-Advertiser under Francis Carter. Cotton, Mr. Wilson came to Victoria



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GOVERNOR-GENERAL BIDS FAREWELL TO OLD SOLDIERS HERE

His Excellency Lord Byng of Vimy, Governor-General of Canada, bade farewell to ex-service men and comrades on Saturday afternoon and for the last time gave them his greetings and wishes for best of luck before his retirement from his present office. Lord Byng, who has been in the Great War, men who marched down Victoria's streets as long as twenty years ago, said his Excellency was glad to have met them and to have heard the message from their old comrades.

"I am very glad of having one more opportunity of visiting here and meeting the men of the old corps resident here before closing my term of office in Canada," said his Excellency. "I stand united in times of peace as they had done in times of war, and therefore still serve the country which they all loved."

"Old comrades," said his Excellency, "wishes you to keep the old spirit of the corps alive. It will help you in every walk of life and in everything that you have to meet. Good-bye and Good-luck, my old comrades."

As he entered the Parliament Buildings grounds, and came to the impressive monument to the gallant Canadian soldiers who served and fell in France, Lord Byng advanced solemnly and placed at its base a wreath of laurel leaves, bearing a card: "From His Excellency, Baron Byng of Vimy G.C.B., G.C.M.B."

Colonel C. W. Peck, V.C., D.S.O., led the veterans to the Parliament Buildings. Sergeant-Major of the 1st Battalion, 1st Regiment, The Royal Canadian Mounted Police, and the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, and acted as guard of honor.

His Excellency, inspecting the guard, repeatedly stopped to question decorated men.

General Sir Percy Lake, first president of the Canadian Legion of Ex-Servicemen, welcomed his Excellency on behalf of the veterans of Victoria. They greeted him, said Sir Percy, not only as a Governor-General but as their old commander. The ex-service men, he said, recalled with pride and affection their service under an always sympathetic commander.

A beautifully dressed cougar skin, a token of the esteem of ex-service men here, was presented by Sir Percy on their behalf to his Excellency.

Hanging from the two great fangs of the lower jaw of the beast, by a gold chain, was a golden plate bearing the inscription: Presented to His Excellency, the Right Honorable Julian Hedworth George (Baron Byng of Vimy and Thorpe-Soken) Governor-General and Commander-in-Chief of the Dominion of Canada, from ex-service men of Victoria and District of B. C., 1926.

Massed Veterans Parade Before Old Commander and Hear Last Message

A meeting of the British Columbia Historical Association will be held in the Provincial Archives to-morrow at 8 p.m. for the purpose of commemorating the United Empire Loyalists' day. A register will be made of the names of the meeting wherein all local descendants of the United Empire Loyalists may sign their names and furnish other information concerning their ancestors. Such information will be preserved for future reference in the Provincial Archives.

"The Difficulties of Dr. Deguerre" is the title of a recent work by Walter R. Hadwen, M.D., L.R.C.P., M.R.C.S., L.S.A., Gold Medalist in Medicine and Surgery, etc. Dr. Hadwen, of Gloucester, England, is the president of the British Union for the Abolition of Vivisection, the world's largest anti-vivisection society, and his book is an exposition of vivisectional experiments on animals and human beings, written in narrative form. The introduction to the book is by Professor George F. C. Searle, D.Sc., F.R.S., University Lecturer in Experimental Physics, Cambridge. It is a strong appeal for the total abolition of vivisection. Professor Searle is president of the Cambridge branch of the British Union for the Abolition of Vivisection. A copy of Dr. Hadwen's book will be presented to the Victoria Public Library by the local Anti-Vivisection Society.

When J. R. Terry, secretary of the B.C. Poultrymen's Association, leaves for Winnipeg this week to attend the Western Provinces Meeting of the World's Poultry Congress, he will take with him a case of Marshall strawberries, grown at Gordon Head, to exhibit at the gathering in the Manitoba city.

The strawberries were grown in the field of G. A. Vantreigh, a Saanich poultryman and strawberry grower, and were sent to the B.C. Poultrymen's Association, and thus early in the strawberry season will cause considerable interest. The poultrymen's meeting which Mr. Terry will attend is one of the widest action, the section which he will attend is that of the Western Provinces—British Columbia, Alberta, Manitoba and Saskatchewan. He will probably be accompanied by one or two other delegates from this city.

Report of New Winnipeg-to-B.C. Railway Denied

Ottawa, May 17.—Answering a question asked in the House last week, Hon. Charles Dunning, Minister of Railways, stated today the Government had no information of any proposal by the Canadian Pacific Railway to construct a new line from Winnipeg to the Pacific coast.

A report to this effect had been published in British newspapers and inter quoted in Canadian publications.

Allegedly Forged Cheque is Evidence Against Accused

Edward Henderson Pleads Not Guilty to Charge in City Police Court

Charged before Magistrate Jay in the City Police Court this morning with having obtained goods at the Hudson's Bay Company store by means of a forged cheque, bearing the signature of William Sloan, Edward Henderson pleaded not guilty and elected summary trial. Stuart Henderson appeared on his behalf.

Mr. Henderson asked for an adjournment of the case until Friday. This was granted.

The cheque in question was for \$122, made out to E. Marshall, and was presented by the accused, who, so the charge reads, knew the cheque to be a forgery.

The alleged offence occurred on April 16.

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NEWS IN BRIEF

"The Problem of Evil" was the subject of Arthur J. Wedd at the headquarters of the Independent Theosophical Society on Sunday.

Liberals of Ward Five will hold a general Association meeting at Liberal headquarters, Government and Broughton Streets, to-night at 8 o'clock. All members are requested to attend and others interested are invited.

This evening, commencing at 8.15, a sacred cantata, "The Story of Music," will be sung by the choir of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church. The soloists will be Mrs. William Wright, Mrs. Jesse Longfield, F. W. Francis and A. W. Trevett. Jesse A. Longfield will be at the organ.

Guild Garden Party—Mrs. J. H. Todd and Mrs. J. Hebdon Gillespie will open their beautiful gardens to the public on Wednesday, June 2, the occasion of the annual garden party of St. John's Guild. Pupils of Mrs. Wilson will give exhibitions of fancy dancing and a variety of games is being arranged.

The window arranged by the local Anti-Vivisection Society, Government Street, next to the Royal Bank, has proved of interest to hundreds of persons, many of whom were previously uninformed as to the meaning of vivisection. Several new subscribers have been enlisted in consequence. The exhibit will be shown in other towns in the Province before its return to California.

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WOMEN WANT TO CENSOR MOVIE ADS

Provincial Council Ask For Extension of Censor's Authority

Vancouver, May 17.—Several resolutions were considered at this morning's session of the Provincial Council. Women which met in the Y.W.C.A. building with the president, Mrs. Paul Smith, in the chair. It was decided to approach the department of the attorney-general to ask that necessary power be secured to give British Columbia moving picture censorship authority to control film advertising.

A resolution from the Vancouver Council requesting the Government through the Department of Education to adopt the text books, "Primer of Hygiene," "Primer of Physiology," and "Human Physiology," recommended by the school survey, and to withdraw the one at present in use, was endorsed.

Support was given a resolution from Halifax County requesting that school curriculum and books be made as uniform as possible throughout all the provinces.

The afternoon session was taken up by the Department of Education. Dr. W. C. Mackay of New Westminster on sterilization, and completion of business.

Vancouver Island delegates were present at this morning's session.

Report of New Winnipeg-to-B.C. Railway Denied

Ottawa, May 17.—Answering a question asked in the House last week, Hon. Charles Dunning, Minister of Railways, stated today the Government had no information of any proposal by the Canadian Pacific Railway to construct a new line from Winnipeg to the Pacific coast.

A report to this effect had been published in British newspapers and inter quoted in Canadian publications.

STRIKE DISORDERS IN CUBA BRING ARMY INTO ACTION

Havana, May 17.—A presidential decree just issued because of assaults on strikebreakers in Camaguey and Oriente provinces virtually places the two provinces under martial law.

The President's decree, it is announced, was necessitated by disorders in connection with the strike on the Cuba Railroad. It authorizes the use of the army in the territory affected by the strike for "the protection of property and persons in city and country."

The effect of the decree will be extension of army service to the streets of the cities or towns in which disorders have occurred.

Shops, stations and moving trains were already under military protection.

The United Railways of Havana, which suffered a strike recently, has succeeded in bringing its service back to almost normal. Traffic on the Cuba Railroad is still badly interrupted.

Announces Commencement of Work on New Cathedral in Pastoral Letter to Diocese

What may be regarded in the future as an historic document was issued by the Bishop of Columbia yesterday as a Pastoral Letter to the diocese, announcing officially the beginning of the new Christ Church Cathedral.

The Bishop requested that observance be made of Thursday, May 20, which is the fifty-fourth anniversary of the laying of the cornerstone of the present cathedral. On that day, special services will be held at the cathedral at 9 a.m. and 4.30 p.m.

At the afternoon service, the Bishop, clergy, choir and congregation will proceed from the church to the site of the new cathedral, where the ceremony of "The Breaking of the Ground" will be carried out.

The Bishop has recently returned from a visit to Alert Bay, and other scenes of work of the Columbia Coast Mission and the Northern Division. He was away when the first contract for the new building was actually signed, hence the Pastoral Letter issues yesterday as the first official pronouncement of the commencement of the cathedral.

The letter concluded: "The Bishop of Columbia, since this day in 1872 the cornerstone of the old cathedral was laid. On that occasion, the records tell that while the Bishop was laying the stone, he was confidently expressed by both the Governor (who laid the stone) and the Bishop of the diocese that it would not be long ere the building was ready to be dedicated. The Bishop of the diocese, therefore, of using May 20, 1926 for the purpose outlined will appeal to all as we set ourselves under God to the task of fulfilling the expressed faith and confidence of those who labored that we might enter into their labor."

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Rt. Rev. C. de V. Schofield, Bishop of Columbia

PASTORAL LETTER

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consisting of Hon. J. H. King, Hon. Charles Murphy and Hon. J. C. Elliott today heard a delegation consisting of W. Duncanson of Toronto, secretary, and W. W. Ness, of Brantford, Ont., president of the Dominion Postal Clerks' Association, and Alderman Charles Gardner of Regina and T. G. Knowles of Vancouver, representatives of the Amalgamated Civil Service Association.

The Superannuation Act was discussed and salary demands were a feature of the discussion.

Dr. King promised the delegates that their requests would receive every consideration.

WOMEN WILL SEE LOCAL STRAWBERRIES

Gordon Head Fruit Will Be Exhibited at Poultrymen's Congress

When J. R. Terry, secretary of the B.C. Poultrymen's Association, leaves for Winnipeg this week to attend the Western Provinces Meeting of the World's Poultry Congress, he will take with him a case of Marshall strawberries, grown at Gordon Head, to exhibit at the gathering in the Manitoba city.

TO-DAY'S BASEBALL

NATIONAL LEAGUE

At Pittsburgh—R. H. E.
Brooklyn 4 10 0
Pittsburgh 7 12 2
Batteries—Crimmon and Hargrave; Kremer, Morrison, Oldham and Gooch, Smith.

At Cincinnati—R. H. E.
New York 7 11 1
Cincinnati 7 11 1
Batteries—Crimmon and Hargrave; Kremer, Morrison, Oldham and Gooch, Smith.

At Chicago—R. H. E.
Philadelphia 6 10 0
Chicago 7 14 0
Batteries—Crimmon and Hargrave; Kremer, Morrison, Oldham and Gooch, Smith.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

At New York—R. H. E.
Chicago 3 10 1
New York 5 8 1
Batteries—Blankenship, Edwards and Crouse; Shocker and Collins.

At Philadelphia—R. H. E.
Philadelphia 5 4 0
Batteries—Stone, Wells and Baer; Quinn and Cochrane.

HOTEL LOBBY GOSSIP

Medical War Hero Here

One of Canada's war heroes, Dr. J. P. S. Cathcart of Ottawa, arrived at the Empress Hotel Sunday, accompanied by Dr. W. C. Arnold, director of medical services, S.C.R. They are on their western tour of inspection.

Dr. Cathcart's home was at Sarnia, Ont. He went overseas early in the war and after being surgeon at a Canadian hospital in London, went to the front as medical officer of the 16th Canadian Scottish, the Victoria, B.C., battalion of Col. G. Peck, V.C., M.P.P., of which Major Gus Lyons, M.P.P., was distinguished member. It was on September 1, 1918, just at the time Col. Peck was winning his Victoria Cross on the Drocourt-Quantin line, that Dr. Cathcart "got his." This consisted in such a badly smashed up arm that he could not return to his medical practice. So he took up specialization in the use of that branch of the work in the S.C.R. for all Canada.

To-day Dr. Cathcart visited the mental hospital at Vernon, B.C., where there are twelve returned cases. He met and examined each one.

Dr. Arnold conferred here this morning with Dr. Wace, local S.C.R. medical director.

Conditions Good Here

Afterwards the two Ottawas men said that they were much impressed with the efficiency of S.C.R. medical facilities in British Columbia. There is no overcrowding here such as there has been in certain parts of the East, they said. In one place in Ontario, they decided, 1,200 men were crowded into a room.

Major Lyons met them on their arrival yesterday and entertained them at a luncheon at the Union Club at noon to-day.

ROTARY COMPOSER DROPS IN FOR DAY

A former Victorian, who gained fame as a Rotary Club leader and who composed many of the musical numbers the local club still uses, is in Victoria to-day in the person of E. J. Down. Mr. Down is now in the financial business in Portland. He is just up here on a short personal visit, he explained, so short, in fact, that he wanted it made known that he did not have time to look up more than a handful of his old associates.

GLOBE TROTTERS LINGER

Making a two-day break here in their tour of the world, a party of globe trotters arrived here this morning on the Empress of Asia from the Orient. They are in charge of Madame L. B. de Sauvance, who under the name of N. S. Bishop is a noted tourist conductor. She is holding her party over at the Empress Hotel for two days in order to show them this city and district. Her party consists of affluent Londoners whose chief interest is in travel. The personnel is as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Manning, Miss King, Mrs. Parsons, Mrs. Ash, Mr. Baldwin.

Dr. E. A. Cheeseman of Field, B.C., F. G. Wollaston, fruit man of Vernon, and J. D. McDonald, business man of Revelstoke, have arrived at the Empress Hotel on short visits.

Among the Vancouver people here are H. R. MacMillan and his family, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Waddell, who are at the Empress Hotel; Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. Bell, John A. Shubert and Miss Ted Shubert, who are at the Dominion Hotel.

Island people in town to-day include Mr. and Mrs. Weatherill of Ganega, and Mrs. Shaw of Ganega, who are at the Dominion; Mrs. C. E. Allen of Salt Spring, who is at the Hotel Strathcona.

Mr. and Mrs. D. G. MacDonald of this city are in residence at the Hotel Strathcona for a short time.

MALAHAT, OPENED AFTER 11 G. FIVE SHAPE

Road to Millstream in Better Condition Than Ever as Result of Surfacing

Detours Arranged to Cobble Hill as Work is Carried on Towards Duncan

The re-rolled Malahat Highway, opened over the week-end after the completion of the surfacing operations met with the hearty approval of motorists. Never before has the road between Victoria and Mill Bay been in such excellent condition as it is now as a result of the Public Works Department's efforts.

The rolling has been completed as far as Millstream. From there on it will be carried to Cobble Hill and then to Duncan. Meanwhile satisfactory detours from Millstream to Cobble Hill have been arranged and the next few days slow long it will require to finish the surfacing work to Cobble Hill will depend upon the weather.

The present showery weather threatens to hold the work.

With the detours arranged from Millstream on, motorists need have no fear of up-land gravel. The detour of road has been considerably from the heavy travel which it had to carry during this period and will be repaired shortly, it is understood.

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Alderman E. S. Woodward to-day made no secret of the fact that he will oppose the Marchant resolution as it is now worded. "I regard union proposals as inopportune," he said, "though that is only one of many objections I have to the proposal at this time. I would favor a county council form of control, in which each municipality would retain its identity and a measure of control over its own problems."

In support of his suggestion Alderman Woodward has prepared a comparative statement showing the financial position of Oak Bay and the City. This statement, according to Oak Bay circles, points rather to the heavy difference in debt charges than to any other factor in the case.

While he declined to express any opinion as to the principle of union, Reeve Anson to-day said that he ventured to predict that any such proposal "would not secure ten votes" among the propoers of Oak Bay at this time. The Marchant motion will be the main subject before the City Council to-night, sharing with the water rate issue a leading place on the agenda.

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CAPT. CAMPBELL BURIED SATURDAY

Funeral service for the late Captain Charles Campbell was held Saturday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock at the B.C. Funeral Chapel by the Rev. Dr. Campbell. There was a large attendance of friends and many beautiful floral designs were received, showing the high esteem in which the late Captain Campbell was held. The hymns sung were "Nearer, My God, to Thee" and "Shall We Gather at the River." The following took part in the service: George Miller, Thomas Pollitt, Charles Goodwin, Robert Dinsdale, D. C. Robertson and Captain P. J. Hickey. The body was laid to rest in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

Concert by Choir of First United Church Friday

The choir of First United Church will give a concert in the church schoolroom on Friday evening of this week, beginning at 8 o'clock. The programme, under the direction of Jackson Hanby, will consist of choruses by the choir and also by the junior choir under the leadership of Mr. Gurney.

There will be vocal solos by well-known singers, selections on the piano and violin and also two groups of recitations.

As the proceeds of the concert are to be used to help defray expenses of transporting the choir to the B.C. Musical Festival, to be held on Vancouver during the first week in June, a large attendance is expected. Tickets for the concert may be obtained from Fletcher's Music Store or from any member of the choir.

FUNERAL OF LATE R. CARTER TUESDAY

The death occurred at Vancouver on May 13 of Richard Carter, who was born in Cornwall, England, eighty-eight years ago. The late Mr. Carter had been a resident of Van Anda, B.C., for many years, and is survived by his widow, eight children, Mrs. J. J. Miller of Victoria, Mrs. A. Devich of Hefley Creek, Richard Carter of North Dakota, John and Henry of Van Anda, Albert Carter of Bowen Island and Edgar and Harold of Port Moody, also thirteen grandchildren.

The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock from the St. James' Church. Interment will be made in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

MRS. F. W. STUBBS DIED EARLY TO-DAY

The death occurred early this morning of Mrs. Annie Stubbs, wife of Frederick W. Stubbs, 415 Vancouver Street. The late Mrs. Stubbs was born in London, England, fifty-four years ago, and had been a resident of this city for thirty-five years. She is survived by her husband, three daughters and one son, also one brother, Charles Maidment, all of this city. The funeral will be held



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Gyros to Look Into Playground Question

Committee To Be Appointed To Report On Matter; Opinions Expressed

Members of the Gyro Club spent most of the time at their luncheon today in discussing the playground situation in Victoria.

Gyro Eric Jones outlined the work which had been done in providing playgrounds. He referred to the playgrounds at the Victoria West Park, Beacon Hill, Esquimalt, Central Park and Stadacona Park.

In regard to the new Stevenson Memorial Park, Mr. Jones thought it would be better to fall in line with the committee at present working there than to go out and attempt to construct another playground.

Gyro Harold Beckwith advocated proper supervision of the playgrounds at present in the city before further money was spent on other equipment. He believed that there should be qualified supervisors at all playgrounds.

On a motion by Gyro Archie Willis seconded by Gyro Archie Muir the matter was referred to the directors with instructions that a committee be formed to go into the whole playground situation in Victoria.

Gyro Walter Hall won the attendance prize, donate by Gyro Charlie Moss.

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CHINESE MERCHANT DIES

Ham Yick, well-known drygoods merchant and resident of Chinatown for the last forty-five years, died this morning at St. Joseph's Hospital. Funeral services will be held at the Chinese cemetery at 2 o'clock on Sunday, after which the remains will be forwarded to China for interment.

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PARAMOUNT PRODUCTION "THE ENCHANTED HILL" IS AT DOMINION FOR WEEK

Play Produced With Feature Cast Including Jack
Holt, Florence Vidor, Noah Beery and Mary Brian
Sounds New Note in Western Pictures.

Heralded as sounding a new note in western productions, "The Enchanted Hill" opens at the Dominion Theatre to-day for a three days' run. This is the picture version of the widely read Peter B. Kyne novel, which Irvin Willat, noted director of "North of 36," produced with a stellar cast featuring Jack Holt, Florence Vidor, Noah Beery and Mary Brian.

Here is a story that graphically depicts conditions as they exist in the West to-day and vividly pictures the modern methods that are in vogue in the great open spaces. The rugged locale of this thrilling outdoor melodrama is the cattle ranch country of New Mexico, and inasmuch as the picture was actually filmed in the vast range territory of the Southwest, the swift, exciting action is enhanced by picturesque and scenically beautiful backgrounds.

The plot deals with the bitter conflict waged over the ownership of two neighboring ranches, owned respectively by Jack Holt and Florence Vidor. For some reason, which isn't revealed until the very end, Ira Todd, the unscrupulous manager of Miss Vidor's property, enters into a conspiracy with a rascally lawyer to defraud Miss Vidor out of her ranch and gain possession of Jack Holt's land as well, by having him killed.

The fight to hold their property and the development of a wholesome romance between Holt and Miss Vidor serve to keep the plot boiling right up to the happy and successful finish. What with wild rides, airplane thrills, machine gun hold-ups, fist fights and pistol battles, there isn't a dull moment from the first flash-in to the last fade-out.

AT THE THEATRES

Capitol—"The King on Main Street."
Columbia—"The Speed Spook."
Dominion—"The Enchanted Hill."
Coliseum—"Fair and Warmer."
Playhouse—"Mother Gets the Dough."

"The Speed Spook" Columbia Picture Story of Auto Races

Johnny Hines, Inimitable Film
Comedian, in Star's Role

When Johnny Hines, the dynamic and inimitable film comedian, went to Altona recently with his supporting company to film the international 250-mile auto race championship for his picture, "The Speed Spook," which comes to the Columbia to-day till Wednesday, he was surprised at the infinite care taken by the officials for the race, and that all precautions were taken to insure safe-guarding the throng of 70,000 people, who had come from all parts of the country to view this great classic.

The gates of the speedway were opened at 5.30 the morning of the race to allow the drivers to get their cars into shape. At noon this practice period was called to a halt by Starter Fred Wagner. A cordon of police was thrown around the track to keep trespassers off the racing deck. A squad of twenty-five state highway policemen, augmented by fifty national guardsmen and scores of Boy Scouts, patrolled the field during the day, keeping order and directing traffic into the great infield, where some 10,000 cars were parked for the race.

MUSICAL PROGRAMME AT CAPITOL THEATRE

The management of the Capitol Theatre have decided to retain the services of the Capitol Quartette, also the orchestra again this week, when they will render a brand new programme of numbers. Some of the numbers to be rendered by the quartette are as follows: "Irish Eyes Are Smiling," H. Pfeil; "Paradise for Two," duet, Miss Pennington and C. Bundshu; "Oh Promise Me," Miss McKinley; "Bird of Love Divine," Miss Thea Pennington; "Love Me and the World is Mine," quartette. Some of the numbers to be rendered by the orchestra are as follows: Suite, "March of Venice," Rossi; song, "Remember," Berlin; "The Love Nest," Hirsch and "My Desire," Cadman. They will appear both afternoon and evening.

"Why didn't Brown cry out when he sat on the hornet?"
"He felt it beneath him."

Splash Lecture Thursday

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To-day"—a
lecture by Mr.
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APPLE A DAY



JACK SETTLE

as the genial Irishman in "So This Is Canada," which will be the attraction at the Royal Theatre for six nights with matinee Wednesday and Saturday, all this week commencing to-night.

"Fair and Warmer" Promising Comedy at Coliseum This Week

Brilliant Play That Has Made
Millions Laugh All Over
the World

When "Fair and Warmer" was first introduced to a London audience it caused something of a mild sensation. Not only was it so satisfying as a comedy, and so acceptable as a vehicle of entertainment, but it dealt with a certain phase of modern life in a way which was at once remarkable and daring. As a production it has been described as one of the greatest of modern comedies, holding a place in the present decade comparable to the great Victorian comedies, such as "Charlie's Aunt" and "The Private Secretary" of a former generation.

It deals with a phase of married life that is obviously unfair—that concerning the wife (or husband) who prefers the high lights to the solid comforts of home. There are two quiet people who get together and agree that things are far too one-sided. Their connubial partners have gone to a party and so they will have a party on their own, with results that are extraordinary, for when the pent up energies of two otherwise "dumb" people are set to the task of a carousal the denouement is remarkable and surprising. "Fair and Warmer" is a comedy that has made millions laugh all over the world. It has been produced in every large city and toured in every civilized country, and next week's production at the Coliseum, which will be put on with the careful regard to detail characteristic of all Ed. Redmond's productions, will prove to be a very acceptable theatrical event.

Sayward

Sayward, May 17—Jack Settle returned to Vancouver on Wednesday's boat after spending two weeks on his farm here. Mr. Settle is a member of the Empress Theatrical Company presenting the comedy "So This Is Canada." Mr. Settle takes one of the leading parts in the play.

Mr. Rolston, general manager of the Imperial Oil Company of Vancouver, was a visitor to the Valley this week in connection with the establishment of an oil station by his company at the wharf here. It is reported that the station will shortly be ready for business and will be in charge of Wm. Kelsey, general storekeeper.

The weather keeps dull but warm with considerable rain. A very heavy thunderstorm passed over the valley this week and considerable hail fell in the upper portion of the valley. One settler reported about two inches of hail. All crops are making good growth.

Considerable road improvements are being carried out by the Department of Public Works and a large number of settlers are employed under the direction of J. S. MacDonald. This work is greatly appreciated by the residents of the district as the repairs were greatly needed.

War Course of Late W. J. Bryan Now Revealed

Hamilton, Ont., May 17—Breaking silence on what had hitherto been known only within the confines of the United States diplomatic service, James W. Gerard, United States Ambassador to Germany during the World War, has just related to the Hamilton Canadian Club for the first time an incident which showed the attitude of the late William Jennings Bryan, then Secretary of State of the United States.

Mr. Gerard said it was generally known he was required by several of the Allied Powers to interview himself in their prisoners of war in Germany and to visit the prison camps and see they were treated humanely. He did such work for a time.

Mr. Bryan, then Secretary of State under President Wilson, sent a communication to Mr. Gerard instructing him his visits to the prison camps and his efforts to ease the plight of many of the prisoners must cease, "for fear of irritating the Germans."

His visits ceased for several months.

Newspaper Serial "The Flapper Wife" Comes to Playhouse

Story is Intimate Revelation of
Problems of Young Attorney

"His Jazz Bride," the Warner Bros. production directed by Herman Raymaker, starring Marie Prevost and Matt Moore, was adapted by Charles Logue from the newspaper serial, "The Flapper Wife," at the Playhouse.

The story, by Beatrice Burton, is an intimate revelation of the problems of a young attorney who marries a girl of the modern business world and finds himself with a willful, extravagant jazz-bride on his hands. Before embarking on the sea of matrimony, she consults a

frivolous friend, who is gradually succeeding in ruining her husband. Quite naturally the advice that she gives is "play the husband for all his worth and have a good time." This counsel falls on fertile ground, as the little stenographer's life up to this time has not been extraordinarily colorful. That is the situation: a sane, idealistic young man seeking a helpmate in his struggle for success and an inexperienced, pleasure-starved girl seeking to get the most out of life.

Besides Miss Prevost and Mr. Moore, the cast includes Gayne Whitman, Mabel Julienne Scott, John Patrick, Margaret Seddon, Don Alvarado, George Irving and Helen Dunbar. Herman Raymaker directed.

This picture is said to give the problem of the place of jazz in American life one of the most intelligent and comprehensive treatments ever attempted on the screen. Has jazz any place in domestic life? "His Jazz Bride" gives the answer.

NEW ORLEANS TO HONOR ITS FOUNDER

New Orleans, May 17.—After 200 years New Orleans is proposing to honor Bienville, its founder, by naming a park for him.
For two centuries Bienville has had to worry along with only a street named in his honor, and that street not one of the leading thoroughfares. The Louisiana Historical Society is gaining support in its campaign to have City Park rechristened Bienville Park.

Bienville and his party of explorers founded New Orleans in 1718, Bienville holding out for locating the city on its present site.

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"THE KING ON MAIN STREET" FROM FAMOUS STAGE PLAY ATTRACTION AT CAPITOL

Greta Nissen and Bessie Love in Feature Role Support
Adolphe Menjou in a Story of Fun and Satire

Fifth Avenue became a Paris boulevard for an hour recently, while Monty Bell directed the filming of scenes for "The King on Main Street" for Paramount. Policemen stopped all traffic of buses and American automobiles, and the quaint little taxis of Paris scuttled along instead, bearing dapper Frenchmen and their mademoiselles, while a French population peopled the pave-

ment instead of the usual Fifth Avenue pedestrians. This scene furnished the atmosphere for Adolphe Menjou, who plays the part of the king, going and coming from the apartment of a young girl who has temporarily won his affections. The Fifth Avenue mansion of one of New York's wealthiest bankers was the "apartment."

The story of "The King on Main Street" now showing at the Capitol Theatre, was adapted by Douglas Z. Doty from Leo Ditrichstein's stage success, "The King," by de Caillavet, de Flers and Arlene. It promises more fun and satire and interesting scenes than anything which has come out of the Paramount Long Island Studio in some time.

The king, arriving in this country to obtain funds for his depleted treasury, encounters the Times Square beldam and the democracy of hot cakes at Childs. The filming of these scenes created a near riot at Broadway and Forty-second Street, where the crowds became so dense they stopped traffic.

Incidentally, when Adolphe Menjou and the camera men strolled into a restaurant at Times Square, the restaurant immediately had the record breakfast crowd of its career.

In front of the restaurant "the king" caught a bus for Coney Island. Mr. Bell in showing the bus barker how he wanted the scene done was such a success that three ladies from Milwaukee undertook to buy tickets from him. Mr. Bell took their money, praising Allah, then turned them over to the regular bus barker who subsequently transported them to Coney.

After seeing Coney Island and various scenes about New York, "the king" meets a "go-getter" from a middle Western town, becomes his guest and furnishes the means for the fun of such a town entertaining a king on its Main Street.

Supporting Mr. Menjou are Greta Nissen and Bessie Love in featured roles. The picture will be shown this week at the Capitol Theatre.

DAILY RADIO PROGRAMMES

MONDAY, MAY 17

CFYC (411) Vancouver, B.C.
4.30-5.30 p.m.—Studio programme.
CFBC (411) Vancouver, B.C.
6-7 p.m.—Dinner hour programme.
CKCD (411) Vancouver, B.C.
8.10-9.30 p.m.—Will Down's Entertainmenters.
CFQC (411) Vancouver, B.C.
7.30-8.30 p.m.—Programme to be announced.
CFXC (291) New Westminster, B.C.
8 a.m.—Studio programme.
7-8 p.m.—Dinner hour programme.
CFAC (436) Calgary, Alta.
8 p.m.—Dinner hour programme.
CJCK (411) Vancouver, B.C.
4.30-5.30 p.m.—Programme.
7.30-11.30 p.m.—Programme.
KOA (323) Denver, Colo.
7 p.m.—Studio programme portraying the spirit and development of the West.
Part 1: Early Tribal Chants of the Southwest; Part 2: Early Tribal Chants of the Northwest; Part 3: Lingered Songs of Old Spain; Part 4: Cowboy Ballads; Part 5: Songs of the "Covered Wagon" period.
9 p.m.—Dance programme by Bill Zweibel's Harmony orchestra.
KOWW (256) Walla Walla, Wash.
8 p.m.—R.O.T.C. band of Walla Walla High School.
10-11 p.m.—Orchestra.
KFWI (226) So. San Francisco, Cal.
8-11 p.m.—Studio programme of vocal and instrumental music.
11-1 a.m.—Paul Kelli's Il Trovatore orchestra.
KFWA (261) Ogden, Utah
8 p.m.—KFWA junior orchestra.
9-10 p.m.—Music from Paramount Theatre.
KHQ (325) Spokane, Wash.
8 p.m.—Studio programme.
9-10 p.m.—Star trio.
10 p.m.—Travelogue on France.
KFWB (252) Hollywood, Cal.
8 p.m.—Corduroy Tire orchestra and soloists.
9-10 p.m.—Bill Hatch and his Oakmont Country Club orchestra.
10-11 p.m.—Warner Bros. frolic.
KPO (428) San Francisco, Cal.
8 p.m.—Palace Hotel Rose Room orchestra.
9-10 p.m.—KPO, San Francisco, and KFI, Los Angeles, broadcasting simultaneously.
10-11 p.m.—Cabrila Cafe dance orchestra.
KFOA (455) Seattle, Wash.
8.45 p.m.—Studio programme.
9.15 p.m.—Industrial news.
9.30-10 p.m.—Goodrich Silvertown Cord orchestra.
KFI (467) Los Angeles, Cal.
5.30-11 p.m.—Continuous varied programme.
KGO (381) Oakland, Cal.
8 p.m.—Educational programme, with Arion trio.
KELX (508) Oakland, Cal.
8 p.m.—Musicians and citizens of

Napa, Cal., in special programme.
9-10.30 p.m.—Meeting of the Protective Order of Lake Merritt Ducks.
KJR (384) Seattle, Wash.
5.40-6 p.m.—Closing New York stock quotations.
6.10-6.50 p.m.—Courtesy musical programme.
6.50-10 p.m.—Post-Intelligencer studio programme.
KWB (349) Pullman, Wash.
7.15-9 p.m.—Farm Flashes. Musical programme and interesting talks.
KQW (227) San Jose, Cal.
6.30 p.m.—U.S. Department of Agriculture programme. (Fifty Farm Flashes). Subject, Livestock.
7 p.m.—California Farm Bureau evening radio news.
9 p.m.—Programme of the State College Student Body, San Jose, Cal.
KQW (462) Portland, Ore.
8-10 p.m.—Concert of vocal and instrumental music.
9 p.m.—Vaudeville entertainment.
10-12 p.m.—Dance music by Cole McElroy's dance orchestra.
8 p.m.—Courtesy programme.
10 p.m.—Goodrich Silvertown Cord orchestra.
11 p.m.—Ray West's Coconut Groove orchestra.

Two friends met in the street one morning and stopped to have a chat. In the course of conversation one said to the other:
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the trouble.

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You'll Laugh as Never Laughed Before

British Golfers Recover But Lose Series To Americans

Oxford-Cambridge Stars Lose Out by Six Games to Four; Bad Start Saturday

Rye, England, May 17.—The members of the United States Walker Cup golf team today won their two days' play against the Oxford-Cambridge Society stars, six matches to four.

The visitors lost three of the five four-hole matches played to-day, but their lead of 4 to 1 in yesterday's play gave them the victory.

Frances Guilmet and Jesse Guilford defeated Roger Wethered and Cyril Tolley, two former champions, 1 up.

Bobby Jones, United States amateur champion, and Waite Gunn of Atlanta, defeated J. B. Back and W. A. Powell, 5 and 3.

P. Ellison and E. P. Storey, Britain, defeated George Von Elm and Robert Gardiner, 3 and 2; C. D. Gillies and C. V. Hooman, defeated Jess Sweetser and Roland Mackenzie, 1 up, while W. L. Hope and T. A. Bourn defeated C. G. Waldo and J. D. Standish, 3 and 2.

Sir E. W. Holderness, twice amateur champion during the last four years, seems fairly well placed for reaching the semi-finals, and Roger Wethered, 1923 champion, appears to have an easy row toward the final stages.

Robert Harris, the titleholder, will meet a real test in his first round when he meets T. A. Torrance, British star.

Rye, England, May 17.—After successfully turning back the bid of invading United States golfers for British honors on Saturday at Sandwich, British linkmen yesterday suffered a defeat by members of the United States Walker cup team and two of their fellow countrymen.

The Oxford-Cambridge Golfing Society, made up of former university students, fell victims to the massive and brazen of the invaders in one match against four. Cyril Tolley and J. P. Beck were the sole British survivors of the foursome play. Beck's amazing birdie three on the last two holes of 345 and 368 yards, gave his team the victory over George Von Elm of California, and Jesse Guilford. Other matches resulted as follows:

Bobby Jones and Jess Sweetser defeated Roger Wethered and E. T. Storey, 3 and 2; Francis Guilmet and Roland Mackenzie defeated C. D. Gillies and W. L. Hope, 3 up; B. Gardiner and Waite Gunn defeated T. P. Ellison and C. V. L. Hooman, 3 and 2; J. D. Standish and C. J. Waldo, defeated W. A. Powell and T. A. Bourn, 2 and 1.

Regarding Von Elm's plays on Saturday in St. George's Vase tournament, the following dispatch has been received:

"Under conditions which made any score in the low eighties a difficult accomplishment, Von Elm's striking stand out as one of the most noteworthy accomplishments of an American player in this country. Invading England for the first time, he was playing over a course which he never saw until Saturday, the Los Angeles man displayed a brand of golf which experts declared was at least six strokes better than his card. His consistency in the face of trying conditions stamped him as one of the most formidable players in the estimation of English experts."

INCOCGS STRING OF VICTORIES HALTED BY ALBION ELEVEN

Included no high score but five in double figures. Pendray, of Two C's, and Bryden, of Victoria, shared the bowling honors, the former taking six wickets for 34 runs and the latter taking the same number for 36 runs.

The scores were as follows:

Five C's
Lea, b Jones 8
Payne, b Jones 2
Collett, c Charter, b Baisa 2
Quinton, b Jones 2
Butterworth, b Jones 1
Bourne, c Baisa, b Jones 1
Parr, at Charter, b Copeman 49
Attwell, b Jones 2
Wilkinson, not out 44
Jelliman, b Colthurst, b Jones 6
Vaughan, c Colthurst, b Jones 5
Extras 4
Total 144

Cowichan Wanderers
Crosland, at Payne, b Lead 24
Leggett, at Quinton, b Payne 73
Gravett, lbw Attwell 9
Baisa, b Payne 19
Hammer Jones, c and b Payne 36
Capt. Barley, run out 1
Copeman, not out 26
Charter, b Vaughan 1
Colthurst, not out 7
Col Hodding and Barley did not bat.
Extras 9
Total for seven wickets 205

Bowling Analysis
O. W. R.
Baisa 7 1 28
Jones 12 7 41
Gravett 2 1 12
Hodding 2 1 16
Copeman 2 1 21
Colthurst 3 1 22
Cowichan O W. R.
Attwell 12 1 26
Lea 10 1 47
Collett 10 0 43
Quinton 2 1 13
Butterworth 1 1 9
Payne 5 3 31
Vaughan 2 1 18
Parr 2 1 13

Albion
Pite, c J. Wenman, b Holmes 13
Freeman, b Tracy 8
Wilcox, b Allen 8
Hoggarth, lbw J. Wenman 19
Adams, c R. Wenman, b Allen 10
Jordan, lbw R. Wenman 4
Thomas, c Howden, b Allen 29
MacInroy, lbw wickets, b R. Wenman 9
Sawrey, b Allen 16
Lethaby, not out 1
Boesom, c Holt, b R. Wenman 1
Extras 9
Total 123

University Incogs			
	O.	W.	R.
R. Wenman, b Hoggarth 25			
R. Tye, lbw Freeman 11			
Allen, run out 2			
J. Wenman, lbw J. Jordan 13			
G. Wenman, c Bosom, b Jordan 6			
B. Tye, c Wilcox, b Hoggarth 0			
Howden, c Pite, b Hoggarth 15			
Halt, b Jordan 3			
Grubb, c and b Hoggarth 2			
A. Tracy, b Hoggarth 3			
J. Holmes, not out 5			
Extras 5			
Total 96			

Bowling Analysis			
	O.	W.	R.
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Victoria			
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Watson, b Pendray 14			
May, Craddock, b Pendray 4			
Verrall, c Edwards, b Geddes 1			
Wilson, b Geddes 1			
Allwood, b Pendray 14			
Cocks, c Pendray, b Sutton 1			
Miller, c Pendray, b Geddes 7			
Bryden, b Pendray 21			
A. Booth, not out 1			
Robertson, c Helackey, b Pendray 0			
Straker, b Pendray 0			
Extras 6			
Total 92			

Wilkinson, b Bryden			
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Geddes, b Bryden 0			
Cocks, b Bryden 15			
Sutton, c Cocks, by Bryden 17			
Craddock, c and b Allwood 17			
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C.P.R. INAUGURATES SUMMER SCHEDULE ON TRIANGLE RUN

Princesses Marguerite and Kathleen Carried Good Lists on Initial Trips Yesterday

Inauguration of the Summer service on the triangle route between Victoria, Vancouver and Seattle was made yesterday by the Canadian Pacific when the Princess Marguerite sailed from Vancouver yesterday morning, arriving here at 2.30 o'clock. The Princess Kathleen departed from Victoria at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon for Vancouver. At 4.30 o'clock the Princess Marguerite took the regular sailing for Seattle from here.

The C.P.R. have switched the two large liners around this year. The Kathleen taking the Vancouver run out of Victoria in the afternoon instead of the Marguerite as was the procedure last Summer. The Marguerite will handle the Seattle passengers leaving Victoria at 4.30 o'clock in the afternoon.

Company officials stated this morning that both vessels carried good lists yesterday, and performed well after being laid up all Winter. The Kathleen and Marguerite are only used to handle the heavy influx of tourists during the Summer months and all during the Winter they are laid up at the company's wharves in the inner harbor. During the past Winter a number of changes have been made in the interior fittings of the boats and now they are two of the finest coastwise vessels operating on the Pacific Coast.

Yesterday the Princess Victoria was hauled out by Yarrows Ltd. on their marine railway for her annual overhauling, cleaning and painting. Her hull will be scraped and painted and new zincs fitted. Her tailshaft will also be drawn for inspection. When the Princess Louise arrives in Victoria to-morrow from Skagway she will be laid up for overhauling. This vessel will be tied up until June, when she will enter the Alaska service.

Overhauling of the Canadian Pacific Company's coastwise fleet will have been completed when the Victoria and Louise have been hauled out. All the vessels will then be in first class condition for what is expected to be one of the heaviest tourist seasons.

DIRECTOR OF BIG NAVIGATION FIRM VISITS BRANCHES

K. Kagami, High Official of N.Y.K., on Inspection Tour

On a tour of inspection of the offices in America of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha, K. Kagami, director of the N.Y.K., president of the Tokio Marine Insurance Company and president of the Insurance Association of Japan, arrived here this morning aboard the liner Empress of Asia from the Far East. He was met by N.Y.K. officials of Seattle and Victoria. Mr. Kagami goes on to Seattle from Vancouver to-morrow, there to visit the big coast headquarters of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha.

Although disinclined to talk of his company's policies on the Pacific, Mr. Kagami admitted the possibility of switching the older ships of the San Francisco-Yokohama service to the northern route across the Pacific, when three new 17,000-ton liners are completed by Japanese shipyards for the company's fleet of merchantmen. That would bring the older ships to Victoria, the last port of call for vessels of the line sailing for the Orient and their first point of contact with this continent after their crossing of the Pacific. The news ships, he says, will likely be placed on the San Francisco-Yokohama route.

These new vessels will be highly modernized Diesel engine boats, built after the fashion of the Admiral Oriental Mail Line's "President" class. Two of these three new vessels will be built by the Mitsui Bishi Shipyard. Mr. Kagami would say nothing as to the subsidization plans of the Japanese government for his company.

Following the amalgamation of the N.Y.K. and Toyo Kisen Kaisha interests, a partial re-organization of the connections of the companies has been instituted. Mr. Kagami on his tour of inspection will make it his particular business to inquire into the efficiency of his staffs on this continent and will give orders and instructions to his managers and agents wherever he goes.

Strike of Columbia River Fishers Ends

Astoria, Ore., May 17.—The strike of commercial fishermen on the Columbia River, which has been in effect since the opening of the season, May 1, was ended Saturday when the fishermen accepted a compromise offer by the packers of 13 cents a pound for raw chinook salmon.

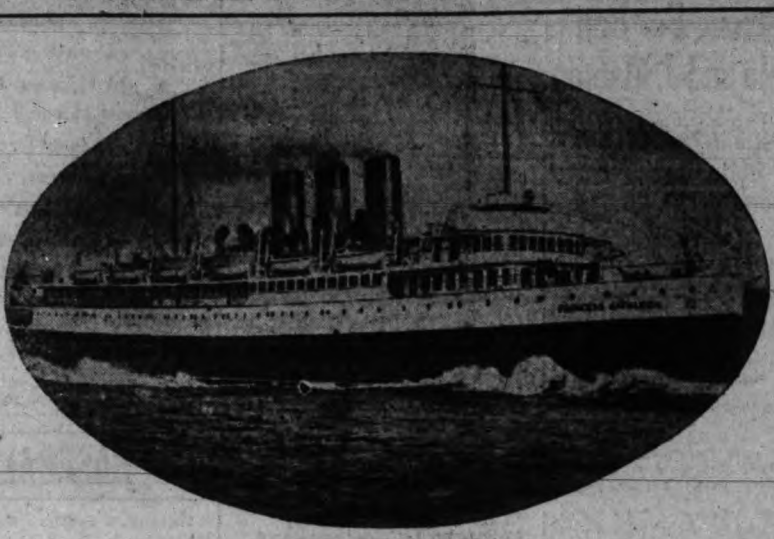
The packers previously had offered 13 cents and the fishermen's union held out for 14 cents. Some 2,000 gilt net operators were affected by the strike.

First Mail Steamer Arrives at Tanana

Tanana, Alaska, May 17.—The government mail and passenger steamer J. W. Jacobs arrived here Sunday night from Nenana on the Alaska Railroad on her first trip down the Tanana River this year. Government boats connect here with others on the Yukon River.

A light flow of ice cakes in the upper Yukon will delay mail travel on that river for several days. The town of Tanana is at the confluence of the Yukon and Tanana rivers.

COMMENCES OPERATING ON TRIANGLE RUN



SS. PRINCESS KATHLEEN

Sale of Ships to Stanley Dollar Still Before U.S. Senate

Washington, May 17.—At a lengthy meeting the Senate commerce committee failed today to decide whether it had power to advise the Shipping Board to cancel the sale of the Admiral-Oriental liners out of Seattle to the Dollar interests for \$4,500,000. The committee will meet again Wednesday.

FERRIES PUGET AND CITY OF ANGELES TO START OPERATION

P.S.N.C. to Start Double Daily Service on Sidney-Anacortes Route Thursday

Single Daily Service Between Bellingham and Sidney Will Also be Commenced

On Thursday the Puget Sound Navigation Company will operate ferry boats on the Bellingham-Sidney route and inaugurate a double daily service between Sidney and Anacortes. These two services will be handled by the car ferries City of Angeles and Puget. At present P.S.N.C. is operating a single daily service between Sidney and Anacortes, this being started on April 10.

The service between Victoria and Port Angeles will be started until June 12 when the ferry Olympic will commence operating with two trips a day, until September 12. In the double daily service between Sidney and Anacortes the ferries will leave the former point at 8.30 a.m. and 2 p.m. calling at Roche Harbor and Orcas on the morning trip only. The vessels will depart from Anacortes at 1 p.m. and 5.30 p.m., touching at Roche Harbor and Orcas on both trips. This will give tourists wishing to travel between these points a splendid service during the Summer months. The double daily service between Sidney and Anacortes will continue until September 20 and following that date a single daily service will be given until November 20.

On the Bellingham-Sidney route the ferries City of Angeles and Puget will give a single daily service until September 20. They will leave Sidney at 8.30 a.m. calling at Roche Harbor and Orcas. From Bellingham the boats will depart at 8.30 a.m. calling at Orcas and Roche Harbor.

TEMPORARY TRUCE IMPROVES TRADE OPENINGS IN CHINA

Well-known Canadian Business Man Says Coastal Conditions Better

Quieter conditions in China with increased opportunity for Western trading in the coastal areas are reported by James Ramsey, president of the firm of James Ramsey Limited, well-known Edmonton department store.

Accompanied by Mrs. Ramsey and his daughter, Mr. Ramsey returned on the Empress of Asia this morning after a two-months' business tour of China coast centres. The truce, he believes, will only be a temporary one, and not a permanent solution of the fighting which had torn the countryside and disrupted interior trading. Coastal points have been left virtually free from the disconnection suffered by business enterprises further inland, and at Shanghai business is normal with new opportunities offering for Western trade, he says.

Mr. Ramsey views the Orient chiefly from the viewpoint of an importer, the firm bearing his name doing an extensive import business in rattan, sea-grass furniture, brass and other Oriental wares. While at Shanghai, Mr. Ramsey took the opportunity of seeing Colonel Cosgrave, Canadian Trade Commissioner, who succeeded Dr. Ross at that point. Col. Cosgrave was confident of better conditions in China in the immediate future, though also of the opinion no permanent settlement had been reached.

ASIA BRINGS BIG LIST FROM MANY POINTS IN ORIENT

Canadian Pacific Liner Arrived at Pier 2 This Morning After Fine Trip

Bringing in a large passenger list the Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Asia, Capt. L. D. Douglas, arrived at Pier 2 at 7 o'clock this morning from the Far East. The vessel made exceptionally fine time, due to the perfect weather experienced, warping into her berth here exactly on time.

In passengers the Asia brought a total of 462 travelers in all classes. Including 139 first class, 61 second class and 453 third class and steerage travelers. A large number of the saloon passengers left the vessel at this port, while twenty-seven of those traveling in the steerage disembarked here.

The Asia had 2,022 tons of general cargo aboard, including 3,718 bales of raw silk to be rushed east to the mills by a special train awaiting the arrival of the vessel at Vancouver.

The other freight included 800 tons for overland delivery, 232 tons to be transhipped to intercontinental steamships, 200 tons of general cargo for discharge at Victoria and fifty tons for Puget Sound points. Victoria's cargo included a shipment of tea and general merchandise from China and Japan.

A heavy consignment of mail was aboard the inbound liner, there being over 1,300 bags discharged here for many points in the United States. Victoria's list amounted to fifty-nine sacks, while thirteen bags were put off here for Eddie Hubbard.

The Asia sailed about 9.30 o'clock for Vancouver. Among the prominent passengers on board were Col. G. V. Birks of Montreal, of Birks & Company and also prominent in Y.M.C.A. work; R. W. Horne, managing director of Smith Horne Limited, London, returning after a business trip to the Orient accompanied by his wife; G. H. Horne, connected with International Precipitation Company, en route to his home in California after completing special work with the Brydges, of Vancouver, returning after making a round trip on the liner.

TIMES SHIPPING CHART

OCEAN VESSELS TO ARRIVE			
Steamer	Master	Agent	From
President Jefferson	Nichols	Admiral-O.	Orient...May 24
Alabama Maru	Fuchigami	O.S.K.	Orient...May 28
Nagasaki Maru	Shibutani	C.P.R.	Australia...May 28
Empress of Canada	Robinson	C.P.R.	Orient...May 31
Asuka Maru	Takano	N.Y.K.	Orient...June 9

OCEAN VESSELS TO SAIL			
Steamer	Master	Agent	For
Atago Maru	S. Eiya	N.Y.K.	Orient...May 22
President McKinley	Leslie	Admiral-O.	Orient...May 22
Yokohama Maru	Shibutani	N.Y.K.	Orient...May 27
Empress of Asia	Douglas	C.P.R.	Australia...May 27
Nagasaki Maru	Showman	C.P.R.	Australia...June 2
Empress of Canada	Robinson	Admiral-O.	Orient...June 2
Asuka Maru	Takano	C.P.R.	Orient...June 10

C.G.M.M. MOVEMENTS

Canadian Freighter arrived Halifax thence Avonmouth, Swansea, London, Liverpool and Glasgow May 9.

Canadian Highlander left Swansea for Victoria May 9.

Canadian Pioneer arrived Three Rivers thence Montreal May 9.

Canadian Planter arrived Vancouver May 9.

Canadian Prospector left Vancouver for Gaspe, Quebec and Montreal April 29.

Canadian Ranger left Nanos for Portmouth, London and Antwerp May 10.

Canadian Selmer left Union Bay for Portmouth, London and Antwerp April 27.

Canadian Transporter sailed for Halifax, Avonmouth, Swansea, Liverpool, London and Glasgow May 12.

Canadian Winner arrived Gravesend May 7.

Canadian Skirmisher arrived Glasgow May 6.

Canadian Coaster arrived Nanaimo May 13.

Canadian Farmer arrived San Francisco May 12.

Canadian Observer arrived Ocean Falls May 10.

Canadian Rover left Astoria for San Pedro May 12.

COASTWISE MOVEMENTS

For Vancouver
C.P.R. steamer leaves daily at 2 p.m.

C.P.R. steamer leaves daily at 11.45 p.m.

For Vancouver
C.P.R. steamer arrives daily at 7 a.m.

C.P.R. steamer arrives daily at 2.30 p.m.

For Seattle
Soi Duc leaves daily at 10.15 a.m. except Sunday.

For Seattle
C.P.R. steamer arrives daily at 12.45 p.m.

For Seattle
Soi Duc arrives daily at 8.30 a.m. except Sunday.

West Coast Route
B.C. Coast Service: From Victoria first, second and twenty-first of each month at 11 p.m.

Portland Canal Route
Canadian National: On Mondays and Thursdays from Vancouver at 8 p.m. for Stewart and Anzac.

Union Steamships: Every Friday from Vancouver at 8 p.m. for Prince Rupert, Anzac, Stewart, etc.

Prince Rupert Route
Union Steamships: Every Tuesday at 11 p.m. and every Friday at 9 p.m. from Vancouver for Alert Bay, Port Hardy, Prince Rupert, etc.

Canadian National: Mondays and Thursdays from Vancouver at 8 p.m. Auto Ferries

Mill Bay Ferry bridging Island Highway, Brentwood, 7.30 a.m., 9.15 a.m., 11 a.m., 1.30 p.m., 3.15 p.m. and 5 p.m.

Leaves Camp Point, 8.30 a.m., 10.15 a.m., 12 noon, 2.30 p.m., 4.15 p.m. and 6 p.m.

Queen Charlotte Islands Route
Canadian National: Fortnightly service from Vancouver.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of May, 1926:

Day	Sunrise	Sunset
1	4:55	7:25
2	4:53	7:26
3	4:51	7:27
4	4:49	7:28
5	4:47	7:29
6	4:45	7:30
7	4:43	7:31
8	4:41	7:32
9	4:39	7:33
10	4:37	7:34
11	4:35	7:35
12	4:33	7:36
13	4:31	7:37
14	4:29	7:38
15	4:27	7:39
16	4:25	7:40
17	4:23	7:41
18	4:21	7:42
19	4:19	7:43
20	4:17	7:44
21	4:15	7:45
22	4:13	7:46
23	4:11	7:47
24	4:09	7:48
25	4:07	7:49
26	4:05	7:50
27	4:03	7:51
28	4:01	7:52
29	3:59	7:53
30	3:57	7:54
31	3:55	7:55

TIDE TABLE

May

Day	Time of High Water	Time of Low Water
1	12:01	6:11
2	12:03	6:13
3	12:05	6:15
4	12:07	6:17
5	12:09	6:19
6	12:11	6:21
7	12:13	6:23
8	12:15	6:25
9	12:17	6:27
10	12:19	6:29
11	12:21	6:31
12	12:23	6:33
13	12:25	6:35
14	12:27	6:37
15	12:29	6:39
16	12:31	6:41
17	12:33	6:43
18	12:35	6:45
19	12:37	6:47
20	12:39	6:49
21	12:41	6:51
22	12:43	6:53
23	12:45	6:55
24	12:47	6:57
25	12:49	6:59
26	12:51	7:01
27	12:53	7:03
28	12:55	7:05
29	12:57	7:07
30	12:59	7:09
31	13:01	7:11

TRANSCANADA NOW IN SERVICE

Crack Transcontinental Left Montreal Last Night Filled to Capacity

Montreal, May 17.—Filled to capacity, her ten compartments, three drawing rooms and all sleeping berths booked some days prior to starting, the Transcanada Limited, C.P.R. all-steel liner from Montreal to Vancouver, resumed her yearly Summer season trips when she pulled out of the Windsor Station here last night on the first leg of her 1,886-mile journey. She will arrive at her destination less than four days hence, having made the journey in 89 hours 15 minutes if, as is practically certain to be the case, she fulfills her scheduled time to do it.

A fair proportion of her travelers were passengers from the Ss. Mont-royal, which docked here Saturday, and they will either stop off at points in Western Canada or will proceed to Vancouver, there to take one of the Empress boats for the Far East, thus making by C.P.R. transportation facilities three-quarters of the circuit of the globe.

A second section of the Transcanada Limited started last night from Toronto and joined up with the Montreal section at Sudbury this morning from which city the train will pass through Port Arthur, Winnipeg, Regina, Moose Jaw, Medicine Hat, Calgary, the Canadian Rockies from Banff to Revelstoke, and finally reach Vancouver at 9 o'clock in the morning.

Seneca Sprang Leak; Passengers Go Ashore

Miami, Fla., May 17.—Two hundred and eighty passengers from the Clyde liner Seneca were brought here yesterday after the vessel grounded a mile out of Miami Harbor as a result of a leak which partially filled her hold with water.

Change in E. & N. schedule, effective Monday, May 17, the southbound train from Port Alberni to Victoria will leave there every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 10 a.m., instead of every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, as at present. Secure a copy of the latest time table.

AUSTRALIA NEW ZEALAND

The new and well-appointed passenger liners sail from Vancouver, B.C. to Australia, New Zealand, etc. For fares, etc., apply to the Canadian Steamship Agency, or to the Canadian Australasian Line, 741 Hastings St. West, Wreck Bldg., Vancouver, B.C.

CUNARD ANCHOR DONALDSON

CANADIAN SERVICE
FROM MONTREAL
To Plymouth-Cherbourg-London
Avenia...June 1, Avenia...June 12
To Liverpool
Avenia...June 4, Avenia...June 15
To Belfast and Glasgow
Avenia...June 12, Avenia...June 23
To Queenstown and Liverpool
Avenia...June 23, Avenia...June 4

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Mill Bay Ferry Schedule

Leave Verdier Ave. (Brentwood)	Leave Camp Point (Mill Bay)
7.30 a.m.	8.30 a.m.
9.15 a.m.	10.15 a.m.
11.00 a.m.	12.00 noon
1.30 p.m.	2.30 p.m.
3.15 p.m.	4.15 p.m.
5.00 p.m.	6.00 p.m.
7.00 p.m.	7.45 p.m.

Information Phone 7037 and Keating 31R

Union Steamships Ltd.

Alert Bay, Port Hardy, Prince Rupert, Stewart, Anzac, etc. GEORGE McGEORGE, General Agent, 612 Humboldt St., Belmont Building Telephone 1925

E. & N. Railway

Victoria-Nanaimo—9:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. Daily.
Victoria-Courtenay—9:00 a.m. Daily except Sunday.

Victoria-Port Alberni—9:00 a.m. Tues., Thurs. and Sat.
L. D. CHETHAM, District Passenger Agent

Grain Movements Show Big Increase

Winnipeg, May 17.—Grain movements during the week May 8-14, show a fine increase over the same period last year according to Canadian Pacific Railway statistics just issued.

Grain marketing in three Prairie provinces for the week shows a total of 810,273 bushels against a total of 578,585 bushels during that time last year with a daily average of 135,062 bushels as against 96,255 bushels in 1925.

A total of 1,324 cars were traded in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta during the week an increase of 629 cars over last year. The daily average being 231 as against 126 last year. This increase is very encouraging.

CANADIAN PACIFIC SAILINGS TO EUROPE

MAKE RESERVATIONS NOW

FROM MONTREAL			
To Liverpool	To London	To Antwerp	To Bremen
June 25	June 25	June 25	June 25
June 27	June 27	June 27	June 27
June 29	June 29	June 29	June 29
June 31	June 31	June 31	June 31
July 3	July 3	July 3	July 3
July 5	July 5	July 5	July 5
July 7	July 7	July 7	July 7
July 9	July 9	July 9	July 9
July 11	July 11	July 11	July 11
July 13	July 13	July 13	July 13
July 15	July 15	July 15	July 15
July 17	July 17	July 17	July 17
July 19	July 19	July 19	July 19
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Apply to Agents everywhere or to FORBES, Gen. Agt., C.P.R. Station, Vancouver, Telephone Seymour 2630, Can. Pac. Ry., Traffic Agents.

Sidney-Anacortes AND Sidney-Bellingham Auto Ferry Service

EFFECTIVE FROM MAY 20 TO SEPTEMBER 20, 1926

Auto Ferries PUGET and CITY OF ANGELES For Anacortes

Leave Sidney Daily at 8.30 a.m. and 2 p.m. Calling at Roche Harbor and Orcas on 8.30 a.m. Trip. Returning leave Anacortes at 1 p.m. and 5.30 p.m. Calling at Orcas and Roche Harbor.

For Bellingham
Leave Sidney Daily at 8.30 p.m. Calling at Roche Harbor and Orcas. Returning, leave Bellingham at 1.30 a.m. Calling at Orcas and Roche Harbor. For tickets and information apply to PUGET SOUND NAVIGATION CO., E. E. BLACKWOOD, Agent, 913 Government St. Phone 7195

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Street TODAY

Last Minute News on Stocks and Financial Affairs

New York, 17 (By R. P. Clark & Co.). The week started with motors, steel and retail store shares reactionary while oil as a class showed firmness. Under early pressure both U. S. Rubber and Woolworth touched new low levels for the year. There was a let down in the turnover after first hour through recoveries stimulated by an evening up process later developments showed the recovery well sustained.

Week-end developments featured more settled conditions abroad while among the high lights in domestic news, upward revisions in crude oil and gasoline were featured. Prominent in this respect S.O. of Indiana advanced both gasoline and kerosene one cent a gallon to-day and while the latter revision figures showed an increase this was anticipated in view of the fact consumption demand is broadening.

The volume of freight moved in first rate showed all comparison to records broken, which in itself speaks for the volume of business over that period.

CHICAGO GRAIN

Chicago, May 17 (By R. P. Clark & Co.). Wheat held well throughout the greater part of the session, the May delivery especially, but met considerable selling on the futures and in the last hour dropped sharply as buying power exhausted itself. Promising crop prospects for the firmness in foreign markets. Milling demand in the various markets was less active, and premiums were inclined to drag. Several of the local professionals were credited with selling also houses with eastern connections. The visible supply decreased 4,961,000 bushels being somewhat larger than expected but had no effect. The large shipments from Buenos Ayres was a factor. The supply on ocean passage was reduced 853,000 bushels. Stocks of wheat at Minneapolis decreased 100,000 bushels for two days. Europe does not seem inclined to take our crop to any appearance and perhaps this explains best the weakness at this time. Weather conditions in the trend and for time being believe a trading position best.

Chicago, May 17 (By B.C. Bond Corporation's direct private wire). While wheat prices held within relatively narrow limits, the average of the day was lower with local sentiment inclined to be bearish in the face of a resumption of dry weather in the northwest and a decrease of 5,000,000 bushels in domestic visible supply.

The latter being due in a large measure to shipments of durum from Duluth to Canadian ports for export. Outside trade was not large and houses with eastern connections were working on the selling side at times. Lowest prices of the day were made at the close.

Buenos Ayres was 1/4 cent higher at mid-day.

Wheat—Open High Low Close
May (old) 159 160 157 158 1/2
May (new) 160 161 159 158 1/2
July 161 162 160 159 1/2
Sept 162 163 161 160 1/2
Corn—Open High Low Close
May 69 70 68 69 1/2
July 70 71 69 70 1/2
Sept 71 72 70 71 1/2
Oats—Open High Low Close
May 40 41 39 40 1/2
July 41 42 40 41 1/2
Rye—Open High Low Close
May 82 83 81 82 1/2
July 83 84 82 83 1/2

TO-DAY'S EXCHANGE

Canadian sterling—Buying \$4.84 1/2, selling \$4.87 1/2.
Japanese yen, 47.2 cents.
Chinese tael (Shanghai), 71 1/2 cents.
New York, May 17—Foreign exchange steady. Quotations in cents:
Great Britain—Demand 48 1/2-49, cables 48 1/2-49, 60-day bills on bank 48 1/2-49.
France—Demand 2.01, cables 2.01 1/2, Italy—Demand 2.01, cables 2.01 1/2.
Germany—Demand 2.01, cables 2.01 1/2.
Holland—Demand 40.25, cables 40.25.
Norway—Demand 21.65, cables 21.65.
Sweden—Demand 26.75, cables 26.75.
Denmark—Demand 26.25, cables 26.25.
Switzerland—Demand 19.25, cables 19.25.
Spain—Demand 14.25, cables 14.25.
Greece—Demand 1.36, cables 1.36.
Czechoslovakia—Demand 2.96, cables 2.96.
Yugoslavia—Demand 1.76, cables 1.76.
Rumania—Demand 1.76, cables 1.76.
Argentina—Demand 40.25, cables 40.25.
Brazil—Demand 14.60, cables 14.60.
Tokyo—Demand 47.25, cables 47.25.
Shanghai—Demand 72.125, cables 72.125.
Montreal—Demand 100.00, cables 100.00.

VICTORY BONDS

Victory Bonds—Buy 100 for 100
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Sooke

Special to The Times

Sooke, May 17.—The Arion Club of Victoria came to Sooke last week. Their voices were in fine condition and they gave a delightful concert at the Sooke Hall under the auspices of the Sooke School trustees, with the following programme: "Sea Song"; "Forsaken"; "A Winter Song"; song, George Phillips; "Three Chaffers"; "Secret Love"; song, Mrs. Shandley; "Rolling Down to Rio"; "Jingle Song"; song, Mr. Firth; "The Jabbawock"; "If I But Knew"; "Nan of Nidaro"; tenor solo, Thos. Kelway; song, J. Scribner; recitation, C. Scribner; "The Soldiers' Farewell"; song by request, Mr. Firth; accompanist, Mrs. Clifford Warran.

G. Milne, one of the school trustees, moved a vote of thanks, which was seconded by D. Howard. The members of the Arion Club always receive a warm and enthusiastic reception in Sooke, their concert on Thursday was exceptionally fine. Mrs. Hooke and Mrs. Curtis Muir, supervised the supper, which was served by the girls and boys of the Superior School. Mrs. Lock, Mrs. Muir and Mrs. Acreman were in the kitchen and prepared the refreshments. After the concert the orchestra provided the music. The evening was very enjoyable. The surplus funds are going to the improvement of the Sooke School playgrounds.

There was a meeting at the Belvedere Hotel on Friday to discuss the advisability of putting a float into the parade on May 24. No definite conclusion was arrived at, but the business men of Sooke will meet again Monday, May 17, at 8 o'clock in the same place, when the matter will be decided. It is hoped that anyone who is interested will attend.

To Be Continued

SCHOOL DAYS

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Ganges

Special to The Times

Ganges, May 17.—The Ganges chapter of the Imperial Daughters of the Empire held their annual rummage sale and tea on Friday afternoon at the Mahon Hall, with other tables of candy with Mrs. Rosvan in charge. Home cooking, Mrs. Beech, plants, etc., Mrs. Ringwood, ice cream, Mrs. Best. Tea tickets were sold during the afternoon by the Girl Guides. Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. Jones and Mrs. Shore were in charge of the rummage table, which was well patronized. Mrs. Speed was in charge of the excellent tea that was served. The Girl Guides, under their captain, Miss Doris Taylor, gave an hour's entertainment. The three companies lined up and saluted their colors and gave drills, games and songs, and each were given tests for first aid in bandages and slings for the arms. Miss Brynjolfsen was the accompanist for the guides' songs. About 175 was taken in, and after expenses are paid, One-half will be given to Girl Guides towards their camping trip this summer, which they are eagerly looking forward to. A dresser

scarf was raffled off and won by Mrs. Ringwood.

Among those visiting Victoria this week were Mrs. A. Eaton, Mrs. Maxwell, Mrs. Jackson and Miss Evelyn Jackson.

Mrs. E. C. Campbell Sr. returned from Seattle after spending the Winter there.

Miss Florence Eagle, primary teacher, took her twenty-four scholars for a picnic on R. Toynbee's beach on Saturday. All report having thoroughly enjoyed the day.

Rev. G. Dean is attending the conference, and on Sunday attended the opening of a United Church at Chilliwack.

Mr. Noble of Ganges held the service on Sunday in Rev. Dean's absence.

The United Church at Ganges will have their opening services on Sunday, May 23. The church having been moved down from Central. Arrangements are being made for a nice programme.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Beddis have returned from Crescent, B.C.

A. Inglis has been appointed collector for the Lady Minto Hospital.

Kenneth Ashton of Vancouver visited his mother, Mrs. Ashton, and his sister, Mrs. L. Bittancourt, this week.

Mrs. and Mrs. Murray Todd are spending the week-end in Vancouver.

Mrs. Roy Campbell will leave for Vancouver on Tuesday to attend the wedding of her niece, Miss Godfrey. Miss Godfrey was flower girl at Mrs. Campbell's wedding.

RED CROSS EVENT PLANNED IN TOKIO

Tokio, May 17.—The second Oriental Red Cross Conference will be held here beginning November 15 and ending November 22. More than 100 official delegates are expected.

"It will be the first time the conference has taken place in Japan," said Baron Shigenobu Hiramata, president of the Japan Red Cross Society. "We are planning to hold the fifteenth anniversary celebration of the Japan Red Cross Society at the same time."

Red Cross Societies invited include those in the Philippines, Australia, China, French Indo-China, India, Dutch East Indies, New Zealand and Siam.

—By GEORGE McMANUS

BRINGING UP FATHER



Mutt's Father-in-Law is Some Detective, Believe us

MUTT AND JEFF



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NO MORE YELLOW STUB

CHAPTER XLIV

The newspapers were still in full hue and cry over the mysterious disappearance of Olga Maynard. Unlike most "stories" that are allowed to die out after a few days of sensational play, there was an element of the mysterious in this one. The city keyed up to a pitch of high excitement.

It struck at a time when local news was dead, and for that reason the city editors welcomed it.

And sensation followed sensation. O'Day hinted vaguely to Jimmy of having something else up his sleeve to "give to the papers." And Jimmy was not kept long in ignorance in this. When it did break, it swept him off his feet and sent him down to see O'Day with blood in his eye, raging and full of fight.

O'Day had told the reporters about the yellow stub, and the handkerchief that had been found in the room with Henry Rand's body. Furthermore, he had told them that he had been traced to Olga Maynard and that, although her explanation had been satisfactory enough, still she had figured therefor as an important cog in the case of evidence that had been lengthened since Henry Rand's murder.

He felt sure, he told them, that Olga Maynard's strange disappearance was somehow linked up with the murder.

And the whole city buzzed and gasped over the strange mystery of the yellow stub. The murder of Henry Rand, although it had happened long distant town, was suddenly brought home to New York. Street corner idlers hazarded strange guesses as to the motive that prompted Henry Rand's murder. Busy captains of industry summoned office boys to run out and grab the latest edition. Stenographers discussed it over lunch, and housewives over the back fence. It supplied trolley car conversation for homegoing bookkeepers and mechanics.

"You shouldn't have done it," Jimmy stormed at O'Day. "It wasn't right. It wasn't fair to her. It's not fair to me to drag this out again."

O'Day tried to be patient.

"You don't understand, my boy. If you think this is going to turn the town against Olga Maynard, you are mistaken. They sympathize with her. Everyone does. They think she's the victim of some mysterious plot."

"Your idea about the right thing to do certainly don't coincide with mine," said Jimmy bitterly.

"Be patient, Rand. I've got something in the back of my old noodle. When you're as old as I am you may realize that a man doesn't lose any of his brains when he passes forty."

"I want this thing to fill the papers. The wires are carrying it all over. I want Marie Real. If she's alive, to step out and supply some information that I think we can use."

"And another thing. His jaw set grimly as he walked to his desk and opened a drawer. "I'm going to show you something, Rand. I've been every climber all over my frame every time I opened my mouth and said something you didn't like about Olga Maynard. My boy, I'm not in this business for sentiment. I'm looking for facts. Do you see this picture?"

He held it out in front of Jimmy's eyes. "Look at it an' tell me whether you recognize it."

Jimmy's forehead, as he studied the picture, puckered in a worried frown. Vague premonition held him again.

"I—my God, O'Day, it can't be—"

"It is, lad. It is. It's a picture of your father, Henry Rand, taken when he was a boy of about fifteen. At least, that's the way I remember him."

"Where—where did you get this?"

"I'll tell you where I got it. I found it the other night in Olga Maynard's apartment. He passed to watch the effect of my words. Jimmy was shocked speechless. He managed to gulp. "In Olga Maynard's apartment? This? Really, he pointed at it with his finger."

"That's what I said. I was browned through the place an' I found this on the mantel piece. I didn't recognize it at first, but some time there an' studied it an' suddenly it came to me like a flash. It's Henry Rand. I say—"

"But I don't understand—"

"No, nor do I. But here it is. What do you make of it?" He lifted his head from a study of the picture. "You recognize your dad?"

"I do now. Perhaps without you I wouldn't, but there are his features. Forty years makes a lot of changes, but—"

"It's him without a doubt. It seems just like yesterday that I saw him, after seeing this."

"But what in the world do you make of it?"

And O'Day said slowly, "Just this," and he seemed to measure each word as he uttered it. "That girl, Jim, has been holdin' back something from us. She knew a lot more about this business than she cared to let on. She was in on it, an' you can't make me believe any different."

"You think she had anything to do with the murder?" Jimmy asked in weary discouragement. He seemed to have shrunk; a despairing look came into his eyes.

"I'm not sayin' she did. But she's in on it, Rand. There was evidently

a plot to get your father, an' she knew about it. She knows who did it, an' she knows why it was done.

"Now you've just given me the devil for shootin' off my mouth to the newspapers. All right, but I'm holdin' this back. I'm givin' her an even break, ain't I?"

"I suppose you are, but my God, lieutenant, I can't conceive of this awful thing. It's beyond me. If it's true I'll never have a bit of faith left in human nature."

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And Jimmy, utterly weary, and feeling friendless and alone in a mad world, answered, "No."

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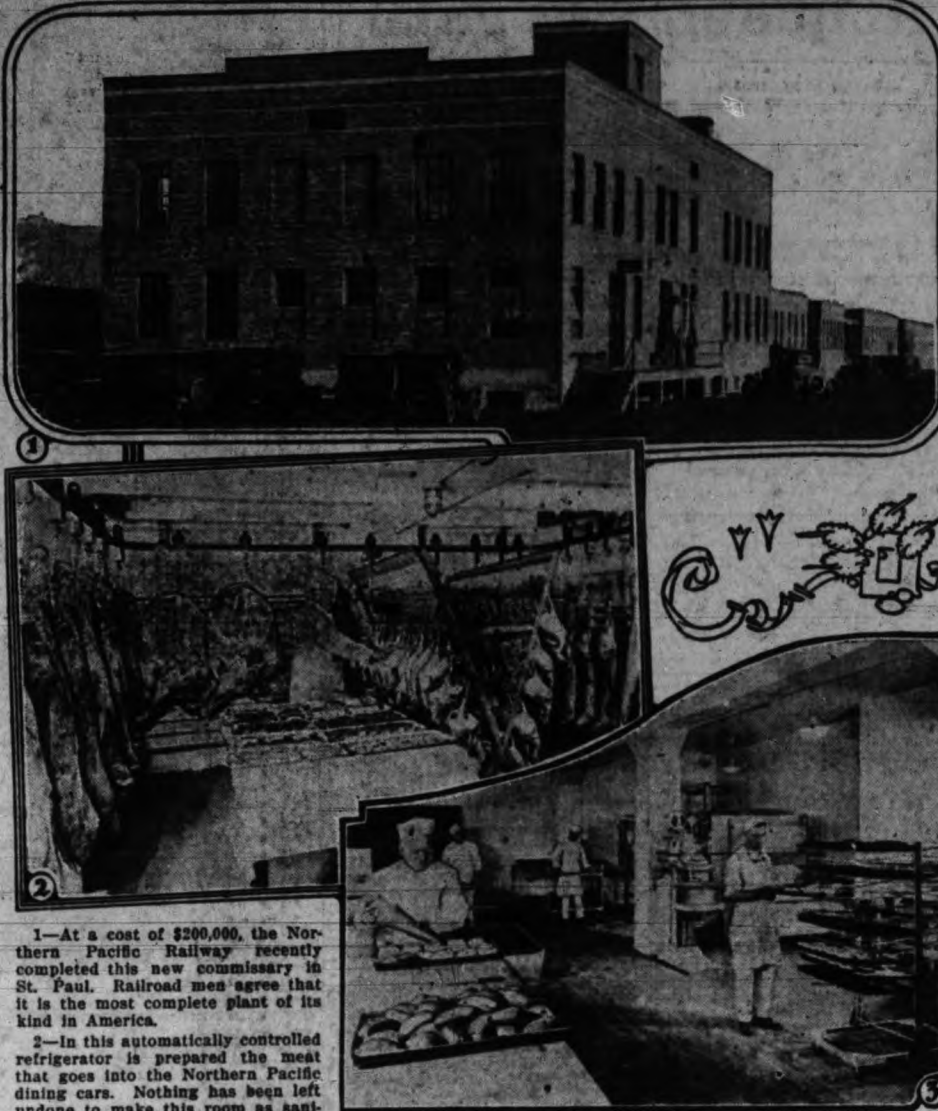
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CITIZENS BID FAREWELL TO LORD AND LADY BYNG

Official Goodbye Tendered at Public Reception at Parliament Buildings

Official and unofficial welcome, both sounding a note of regret at the pending departure of the popular occupants of Rideau Hall, was extended to the Governor-General and Lady Byng at a public reception at the Parliament Buildings on Saturday evening. Hundreds of citizens joined with the Provincial Government in bidding farewell to Their Excellencies on the conclusion of Baron Byng's term of office as Governor-General of Canada, and in paying tribute to their popularity.

STATELY SETTING
Flags draped the galleries, and pink hydrangeas and stately palms flanked the Speaker's dais, transforming the Legislative Chamber into an effective setting for the reception. To the strains of the National Anthem, the vice-regal party entered the chamber. Their Excellencies being accompanied by His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Miss MacKenzie, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Nichol, Lieut.-Col. and Lady Kathleen Villiers, Major and Mrs. Humphreys, Brig.-General and Mrs. Money, Miss Eva Sandford, Major Willis O'Connor, Col. Humphrey Snow, Captain (Lord) William Scott, Mr. A. M. D. Fairbairn.

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Byng, the latter charming in an orchid gown and grey picture hat, had taken their stand by the theatre dais, the public file past to bid a personal farewell to Their Excellencies, who shook hands and had a word with each of the hundreds who availed themselves of the opportunity of meeting them. A specially cordial note of greeting was reserved by His Excellency for the ex-service men who joined in the long line that filled past the dais.

PREMIER'S ADDRESS

At the conclusion of the informal part of the proceedings and when all the citizens had been presented to Lord and Lady Byng, Premier Oliver read an address from the Provincial Government. This was couched in the following terms:
"May it please Your Excellency:
"Almost five years ago it was our pleasure, on behalf of the Government and people of British Columbia, to welcome you on your first visit to this Province as Governor-General of Canada. Since then, as representing His Most Gracious Majesty, King George the Fifth, you have fulfilled your important duties to our highest expectations, and it is with genuine regret that we are to-day called upon to tender to you and to your Gracious Consort the official farewell of the people of British Columbia, a farewell with which is coupled the sincere hope that we may, at some future date, again be honored by your presence."

"Throughout your vice-regal term you have demonstrated in marked manner your warm interest in Canada as part of that great Empire which you defended so valiantly in war as you have since served faithfully in peace. We are assured that both yourself and Lady Byng will return to the Old Land firm friends of the people of this Dominion and that your every effort will be to draw still tighter the bonds of loyalty and friendship between this portion of the Empire and the Mother Country."

"Though our Province is remote from the seat of Federal Government, we have felt the benefit of your example and suggestions, and it is with a full heart that we join, with the comrades with whom you suffered and fought, in bidding you and Lady Byng goodbye."

"We ask you to convey to His Majesty, the King, the renewed assurance of the loyalty of his subjects in British Columbia.
"We trust that both yourself and Lady Byng will carry away most pleasant remembrances of your visits to this Province, and that you will further service to the King and Empire."

LORD BYNG'S REPLY

In replying to the official welcome, the Governor-General said:
"Your Honor, Mr. Prime Minister, Ladies and Gentlemen:—As the representative of His Majesty the King, I thank you most warmly for your message of loyalty and devotion which it will afford me very great pleasure to forward to His Majesty. I know of no greater honor which can be conferred on a British subject than that of being charged with the representation of our King, one of the great self-governing Dominions, the representation of one who is not only the head of our British Constitution, but also an example of devotion to duty and noble self-sacrifice to all his subjects; whatever measure of success I may have had in maintaining worthy that repre-

sentation, I owe entirely to the inspiring example of His Majesty.
"For myself and Lady Byng, I thank you from the bottom of my heart for your welcome to the Capital of your great Province, and for the happy visits, and also, Mr. Prime Minister, I do thank you for the kind things you have been good enough to say concerning my term of office and for your wishes of goodspeed."

"As you know well, in coming to Canada as your Governor-General, I looked forward to cementing and renewing the friendships I made during the period I was privileged to command the Canadian Corps. It has been my exceeding good fortune not only to realize this ambition but to form a host of other acquaintanceships and ties, which have become so strong that the wrench of parting will be hard indeed for us to bear."

"In taking farewell of the Province of British Columbia and the City of Victoria, we wish you every prosperity and good fortune, and do assure you that we shall ever continue to follow your great development, as develop you must to ever greater prosperity, with the greatest interest and deepest affection for us to bear."
Hon. William Sloan, Provincial Secretary, had charge of the arrangements for the reception, which were excellently carried out. The music during the reception was furnished by an orchestra under the direction of William Press. Fourteen members of the Provincial Police under Sergeant Owens officiated as escorts during the evening.

Keating

Special to The Times

Keating, May 17.—On Friday a delightful birthday party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Keating in honor of Miss Mary Stokes. Outdoor games occupied the guests during the afternoon and a dainty supper was served on the gram, while dancing was indulged in during the evening. The guests included Misses Mary Stokes, Betty Simpson, Alice Styan, Sadie Patterson, Viola Hamilton, Florence Hamilton, Vera Handy, Bernice Handy, and Masters Denis Styan, Ernie Styan, Ivan Randall, Freddie Hamilton and Percy Hamilton.

A jolly party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Michell, Telegraph Road, Saturday evening, when a number of Miss Doris Michell's friends paid her a surprise visit on the occasion of her birthday. Games, contests and dancing were much enjoyed and a dainty supper was served during the evening. Those present were: Misses Edith Bickford, Ruby Young, Ona Young, Blanch Sherring, Janet Sherring, Freda Durance, Gladys Tanner, Lillian Styan, Nellie Styan, Hilda Styan, Alma McKay, Margaret Michell, Messrs. Hugh Lamont, Bill Tanner, Norman Tanner, Albert Hafer, Arnold Bickford, Stanley Bickford, Jack Bickford, Morley Bickford, Jack Durance, Eldon McKay, Alfie Styan, Tom Michell, Fred Michell, Ralph Michell, Gordon Michell, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Michell, Mrs. Hafer and Mrs. Sherring.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Patterson of Victoria were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Patterson, East Saanich Road, on Sunday.

The many friends of Mr. George Somerville will be pleased to hear he has returned from the hospital and is about again after his recent operation.

Miss Emily Wallock of Victoria is the guest of Miss Hilda Styan, Central Saanich Road. Miss Styan and Miss Wallock will be practice teachers at the West Saanich School during this week.

The South Saanich Women's Insti-

tute will hold their monthly meeting in the Temperance Hall on Thursday evening, May 20, at 8 o'clock, when the programme calls for a paper from Mrs. McKenzie on "Laws and Legislation," and one on "Home Economics" from Mrs. Nunno.

The monthly meeting of the South Saanich Farmers' Institute will take place Thursday evening in the Temperance Hall. Prizes will be presented for the strawberry crop winners and Mr. Straight, from the Experimental Farm, will address the members.

A large congregation attended the services in the United Church at South Saanich on Sunday morning, May 9, when in the unavoidable absence of the pastor, Rev. Mr. Lees, the service, which was in observance of Mothers' Day, was in the entire charge of the Young People's Club. The church had been prettily decorated with a mass of red and white flowers and greenery and made a pretty setting for the beautiful religious pageant, "The Spirit of Motherhood," which was presented by ten girls representing the mothers in the Bible. Those taking part were Misses Florence Hafer, Gertrude Durance, Sadie Patterson, Margaret Michell, Jessie Rhode, Janet Sherring, Hilda Styan, Nellie Styan, Violet McNally and Doris Michell. Mr. George Bayley, honorary president of the club, gave an inspiring address on "Motherhood," and Miss Lillian Styan sang "Mother o' Mine." Miss Christie MacNab acted as leader, Stuart Stoddart read the Scripture, Albert Hafer gave the prayer and W. McCure pronounced the benediction, while others taking part were Misses Alma and Ida Heyer, Blanch Sherring and Mr. G. Somerville. In the evening the Young People took charge of the service at the Sidney United Church.

Vote on Budget To-morrow Night

Ottawa, May 17.—By the existing arrangement between the party whips, the debate on the budget in the House of Commons should be concluded Tuesday night after Premier King and Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen have spoken. The debate entered its fifth week to-day, the budget having been brought down April 15.

The budget debate has taken up more than 500 pages of Hansard, which means that more than 354,000 words have been used by members of Parliament in the course of the four weeks.

CHIEF SCOUTS SAYS FAREWELL TO BOYS

Scouts and Cubs Staged Demonstration Before Lord Byng

In his capacity of Chief Scout for Canada Lord Byng, who was accompanied by Lady Byng, paid a visit on Saturday afternoon to the grounds at the Gorge, where Scouts and Cubs staged a demonstration before His Excellency. Lord Byng was accompanied from Government House by Provincial Commissioner Ross Sutherland, and was received at the grounds by Assistant Provincial Commissioner G. H. Scarett, hill, Walter Scott, president of the local association, and Col. Lorne Ross of the local executive.

The Chief Scout was received with the "Grand Hov" from a lusty young throng, the gathering at the ground including Wolf Cubs, Scouts, and Cubs. In a brief address His Excellency wished the boys "good luck," and exhorted them to remember that they were Canadian Scouts, which meant good Canadians, and good citizens.

WINNERS OF EVENTS

The various events were then proceeded with, the Scouts showing efficiency and prowess. The results were as follows:
Verbal message relay race—1 and 2, Fairfield Troup; 3, Third Troup. Tree identification—1, St. Michael's, and two Fairfield teams equal; 2, St. Michael's and Victoria West teams equal.
Fire lighting—1, Fairfield; 2, Victoria West; 3, Fairfield.
Centipede race—1, Fairfield; 2, James Bay; 3, St. Mary's.

There was a very good display of first aid, and the placing resulted: St. Mary's, 1; St. Michael's, 2, and Fairfield, 3.

The result of the afternoon's events was that Fairfield won the cup with 38 points; 2, St. Michael's, 17 points; St. Mary's, 13 points.

Lord Byng presented the James Bay Troup with the challenge banner for effort, which banner was given to the local association last year by Hon. W. C. Nichol, Provincial Commissioner. Sutherland thanked the Chief Scout for his visit and encouraging message, and voiced the regret felt by all Canadian Scouts at his pending departure from the Dominion.

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